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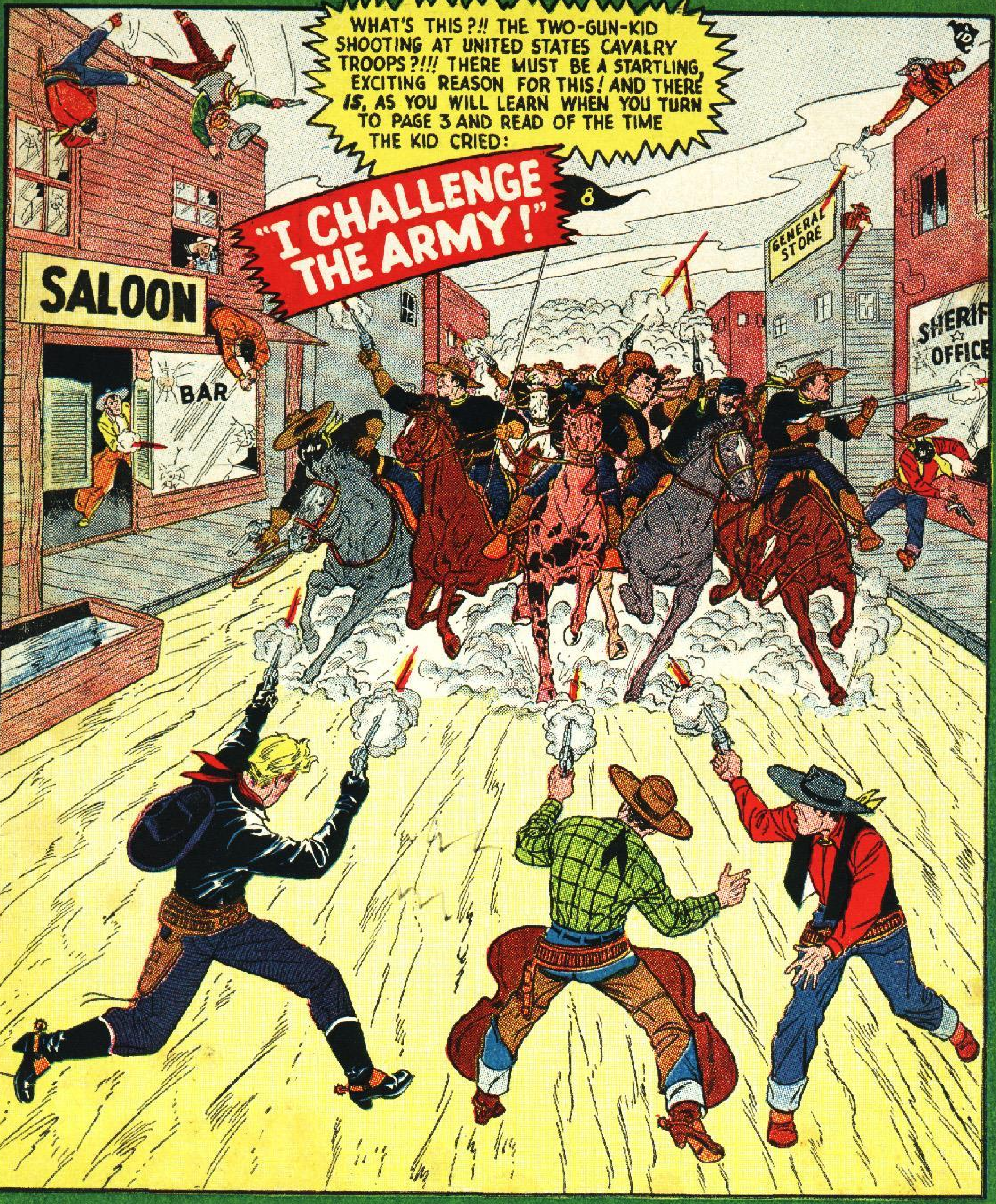
WHAT'S THIS?!! THE TWO-GUN-KID SHOOTING AT UNITED STATES CAVALRY TROOPS?!!! THERE MUST BE A STARTLING, EXCITING REASON FOR THIS! AND THERE *IS*, AS YOU WILL LEARN WHEN YOU TURN TO PAGE 3 AND READ OF THE TIME THE KID CRIED:
"I CHALLENGE THE ARMY!"
SALOON
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AMAZING NEW SCIENTIFIC DISCOVERY

CURLS and WAVES HAIR IN MINUTES

without PERMANENT WAVING

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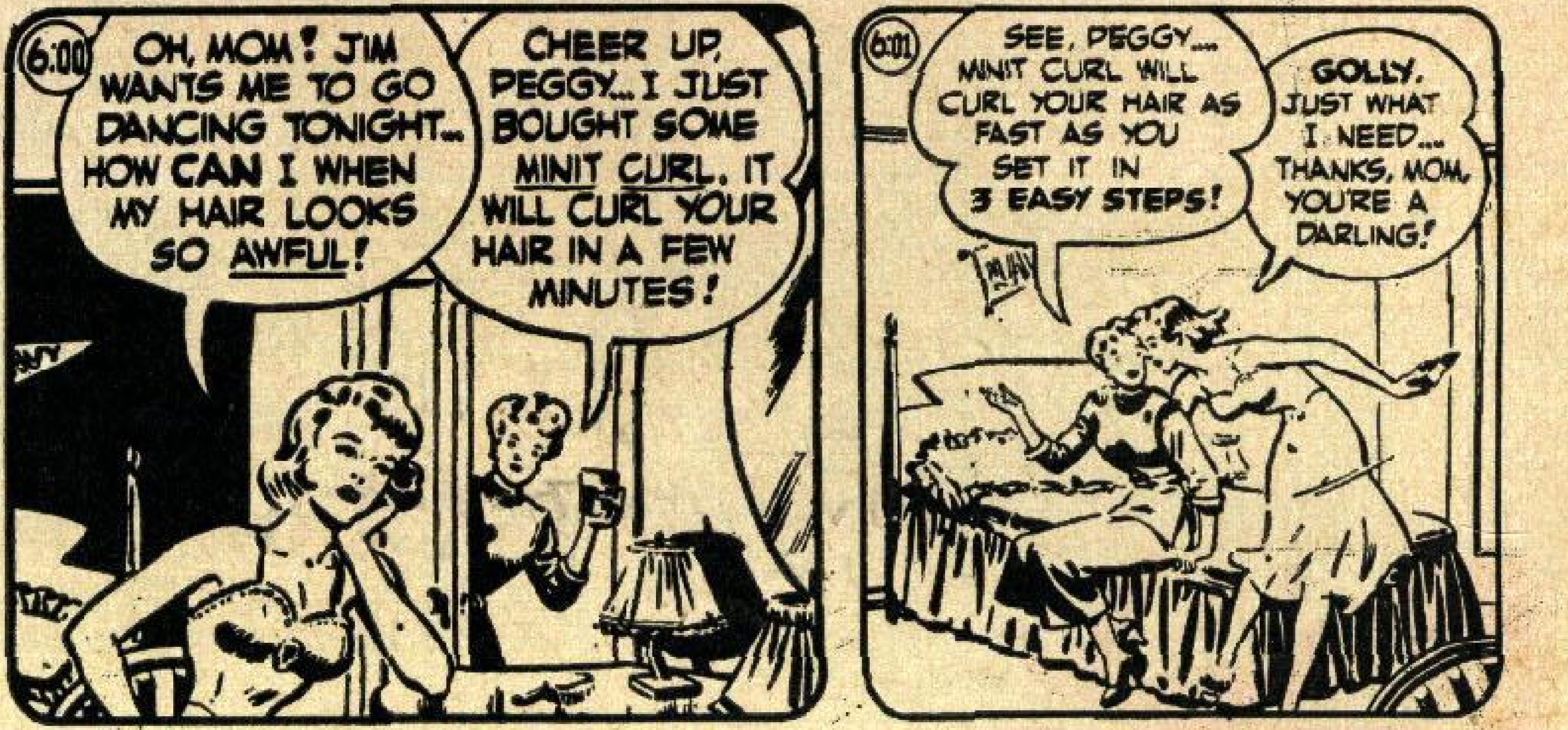
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OH, MOM! JIM WANTS ME TO GO DANCING TONIGHT... HOW CAN I WHEN MY HAIR LOOKS SO AWFUL!
CHEER UP, PEGGY... I JUST BOUGHT SOME MINIT CURL. IT WILL CURL YOUR HAIR IN A FEW MINUTES!
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SEE, PEGGY... MINIT CURL WILL CURL YOUR HAIR AS FAST AS YOU SET IT IN 3 EASY STEPS!
GOLLY. JUST WHAT I NEED... THANKS, MOM, YOU'RE A DARLING!

Minit Curl
CURL CAPS
Not a Permanent Wave ...Not a Wave Set
Safely Curls and Waves Hair without Permanent Waving

• NO MACHINERY • NO WAITING
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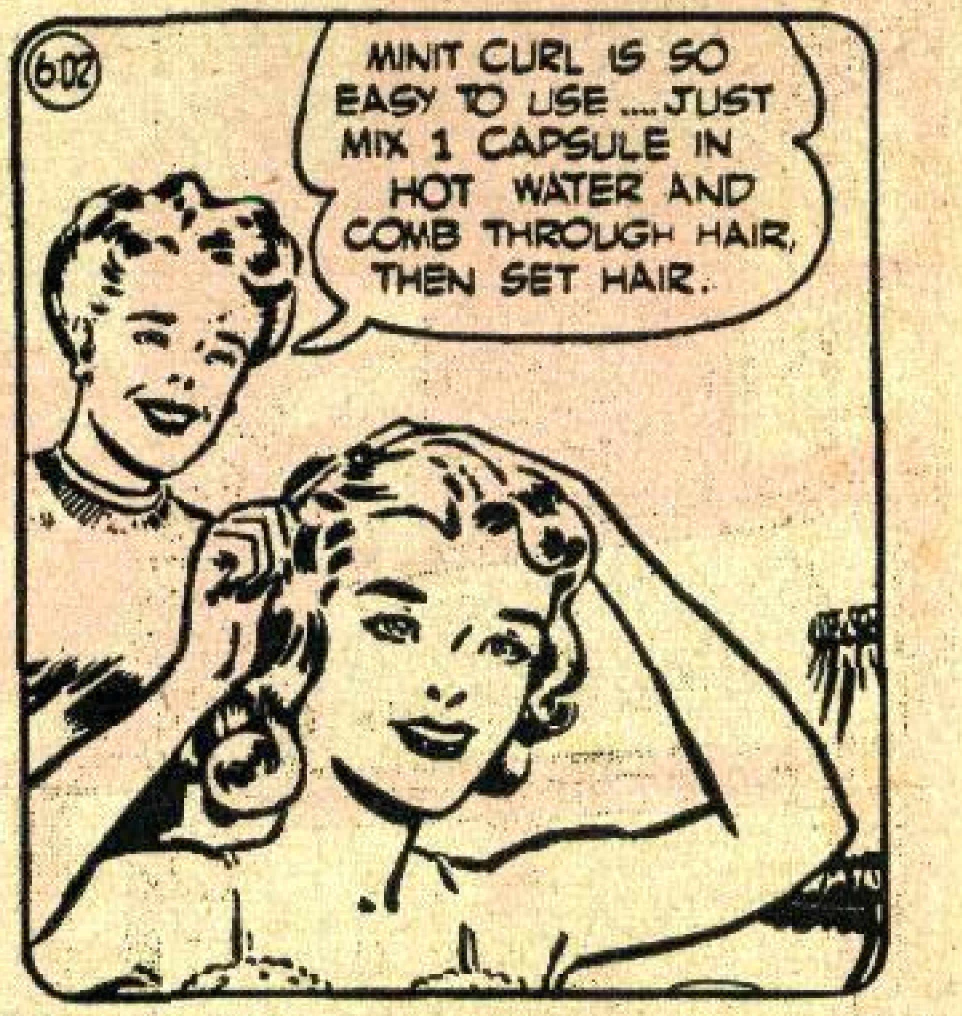
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MINIT CURL IS SO EASY TO USE .... JUST MIX 1 CAPSULE IN HOT WATER AND COMB THROUGH HAIR, THEN SET HAIR.

QUICK FACTS

- SAFE for all types, texture of Hair, even dyed, bleached.
- Curls, waves new short hair cuts that are hard to permanent.
- Leaves hair wonderfully easy to manage.
- One capsule makes enough solution to curl several heads of hair.

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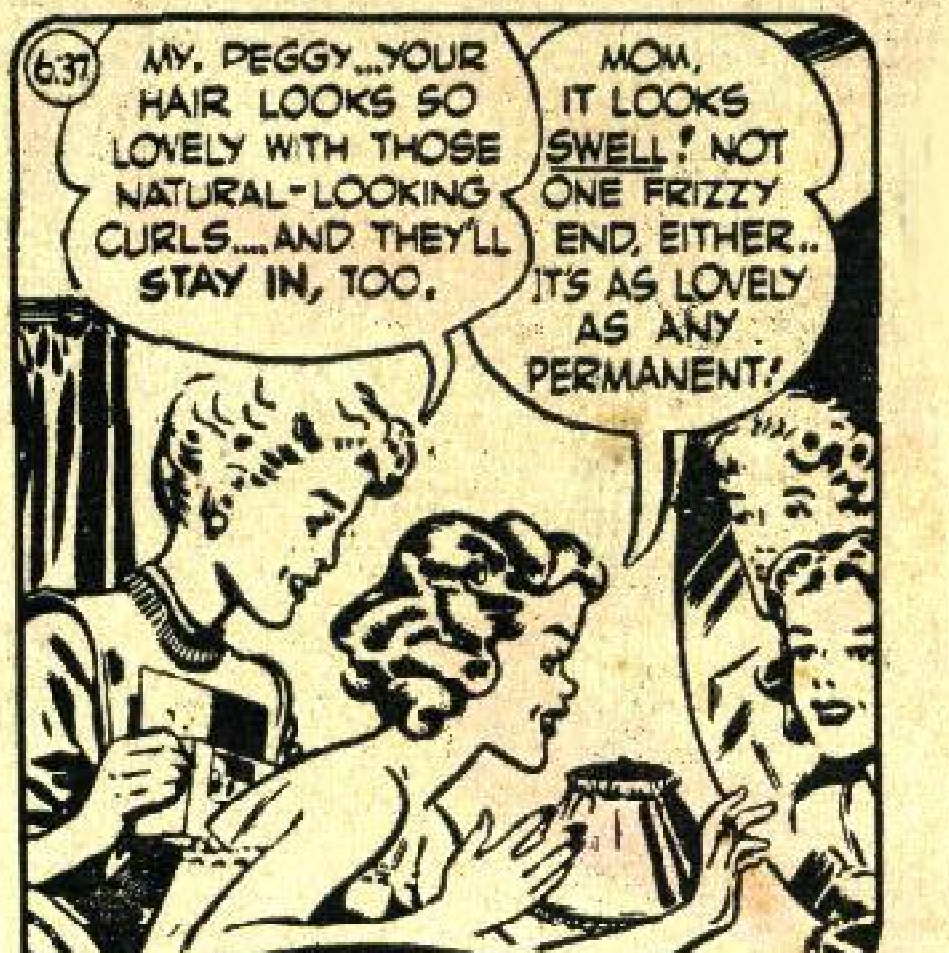
The more you use MINIT CURL the longer your wave lasts because MINIT CURL conditions your hair . . . encourages each strand to acquire the lustrous, natural curl you have always dreamed of having.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MY, PEGGY...YOUR HAIR LOOKS SO LOVELY WITH THOSE NATURAL-LOOKING CURLS....AND THEY'LL STAY IN, TOO.
MOM, IT LOOKS SWELL! NOT ONE FRIZZY END, EITHER.. IT'S AS LOVELY AS ANY PERMANENT!

Marlene's MINIT CURL $1.25 PLUS TAX
LASTS FOR MONTHS

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LATER
GOSH, PEGGY... I'VE NEVER SEEN YOUR HAIR LOOK SO SOFT AND WONDERFUL!
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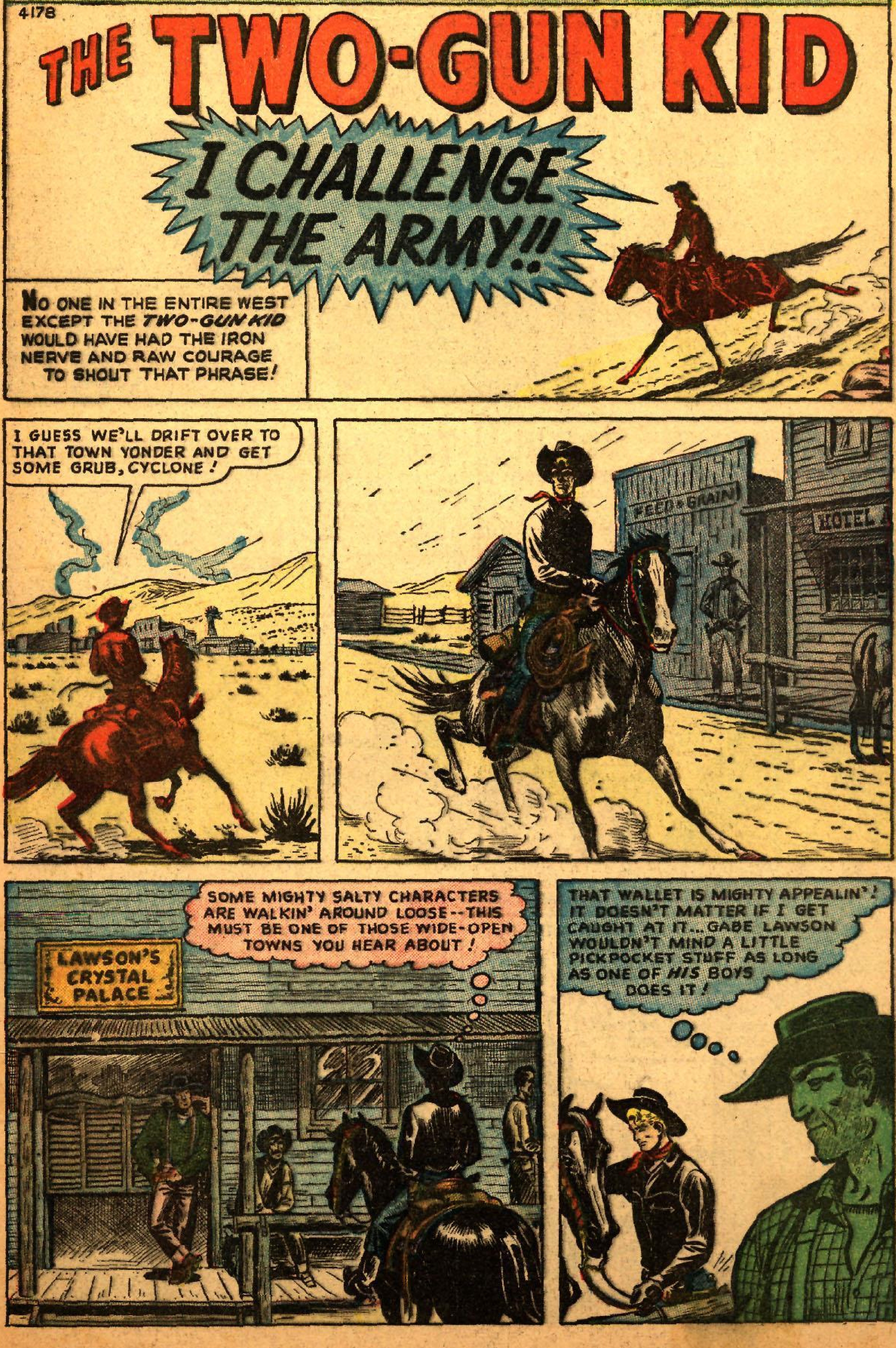
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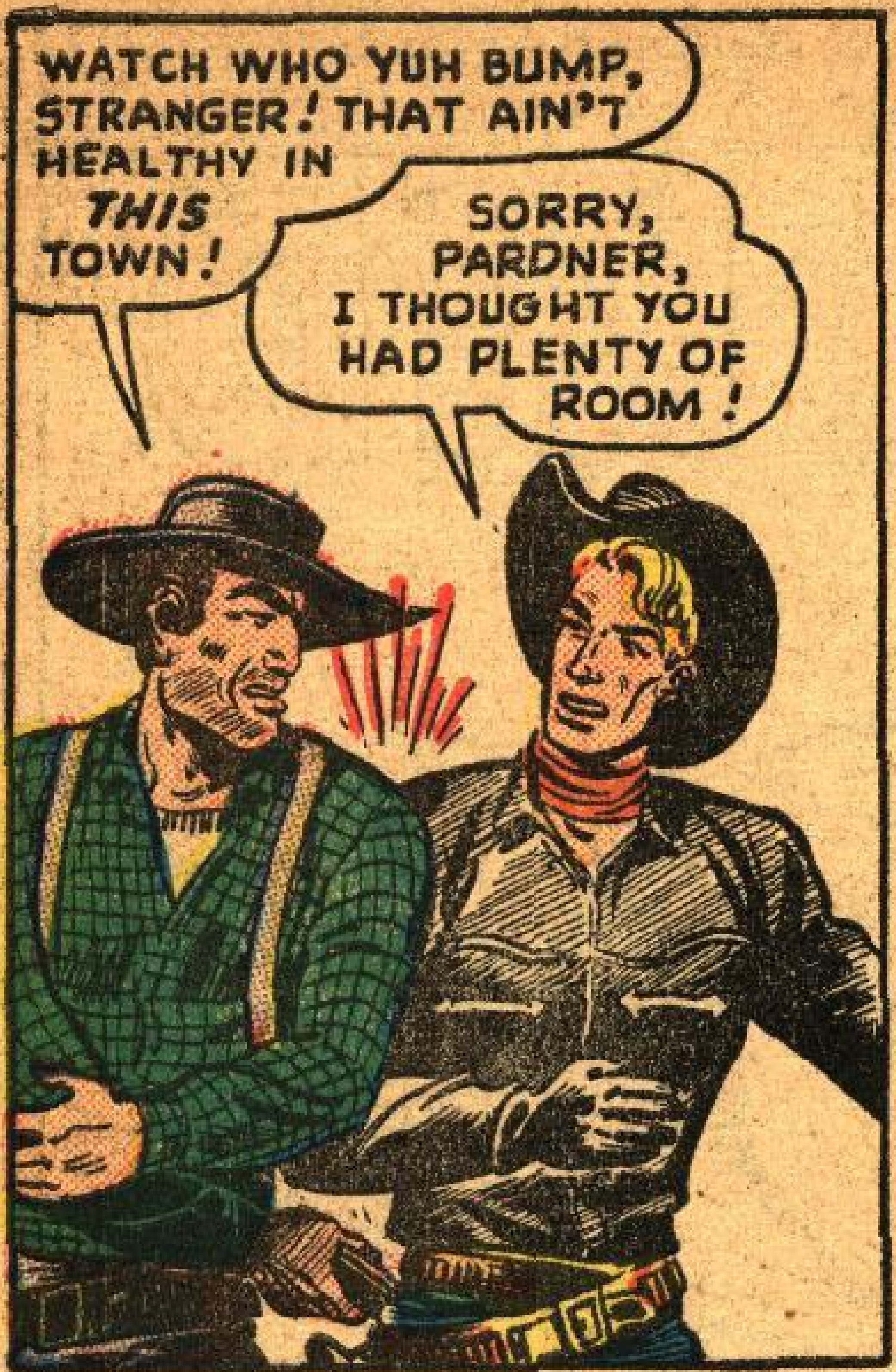
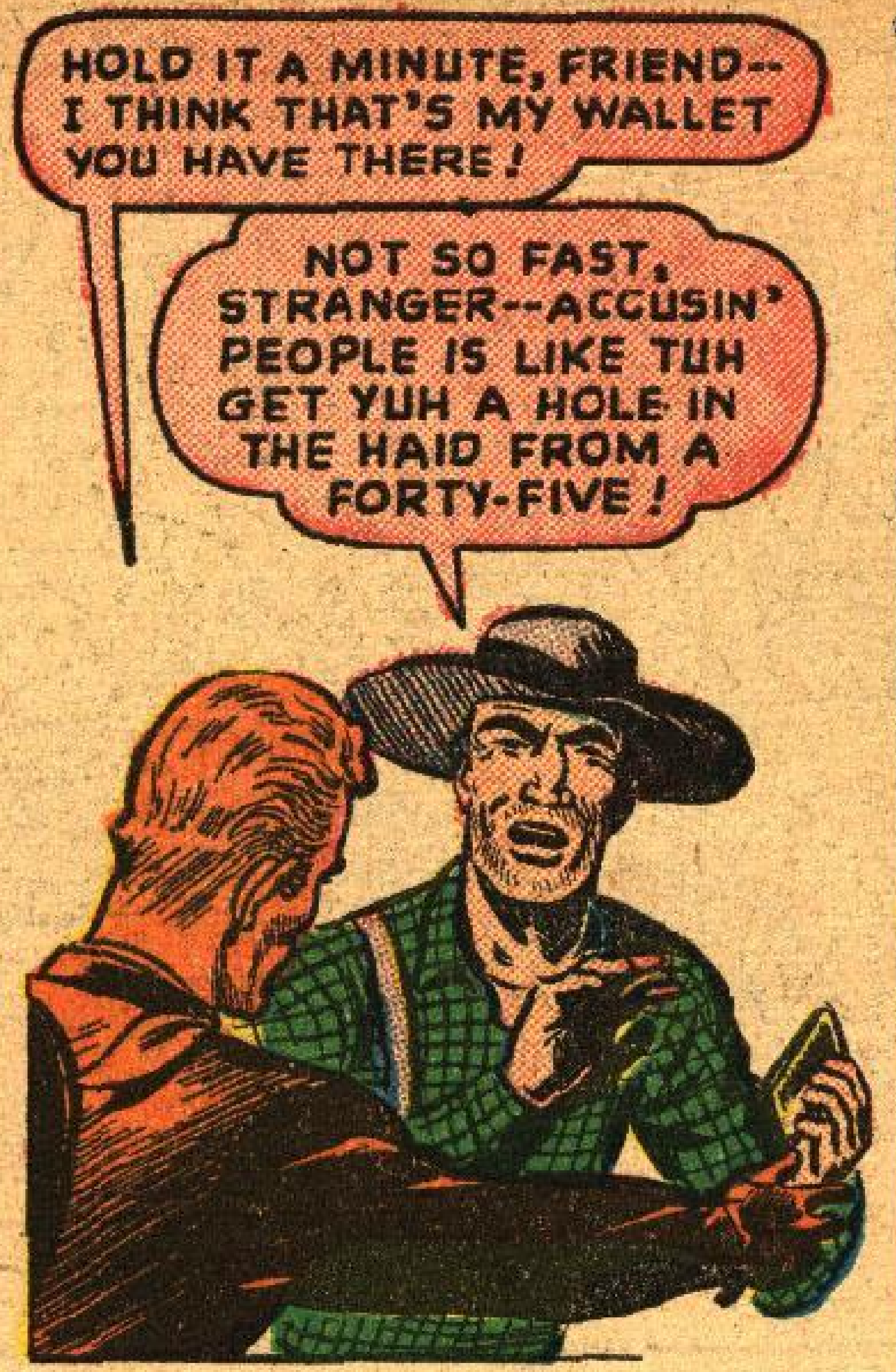
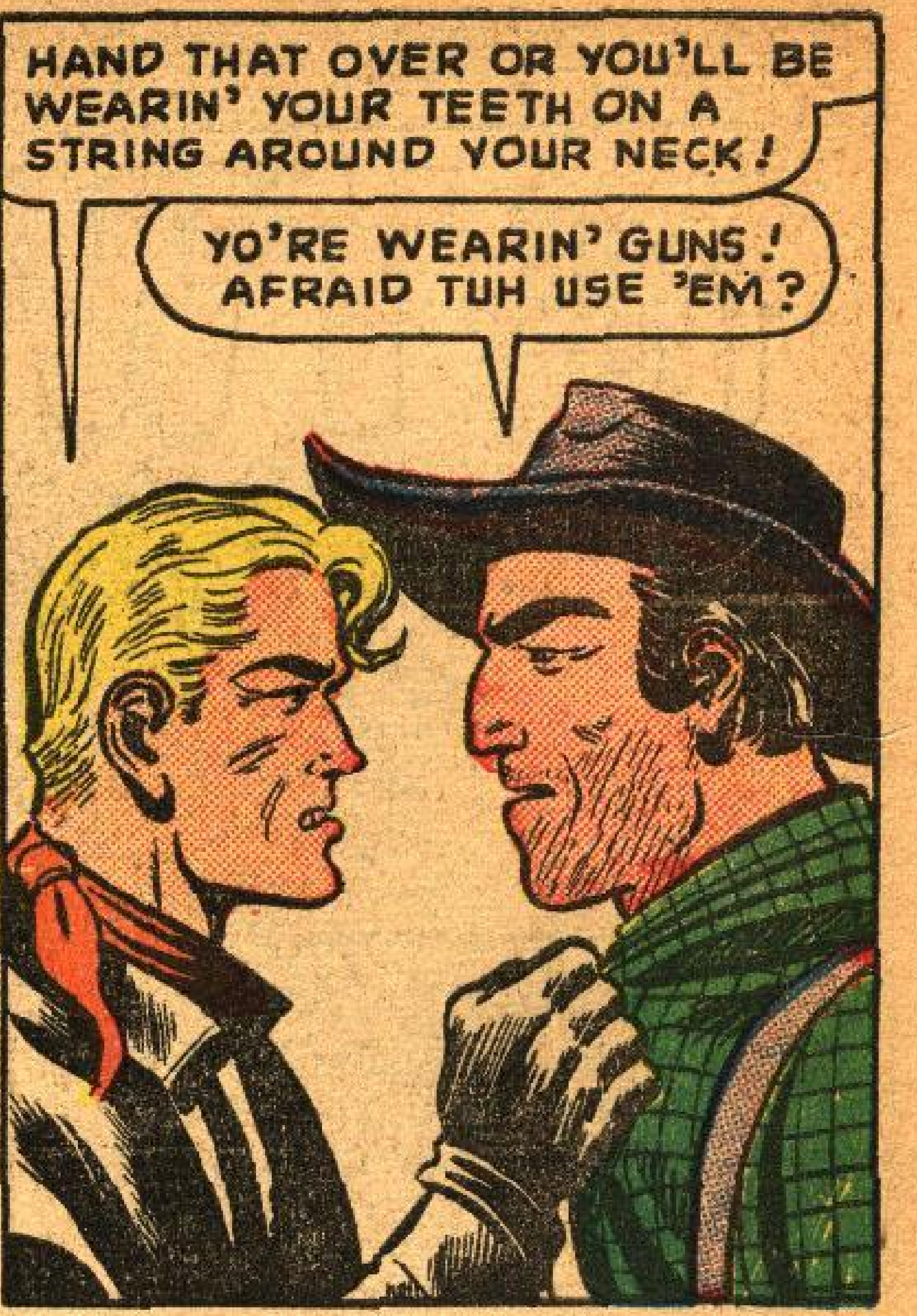
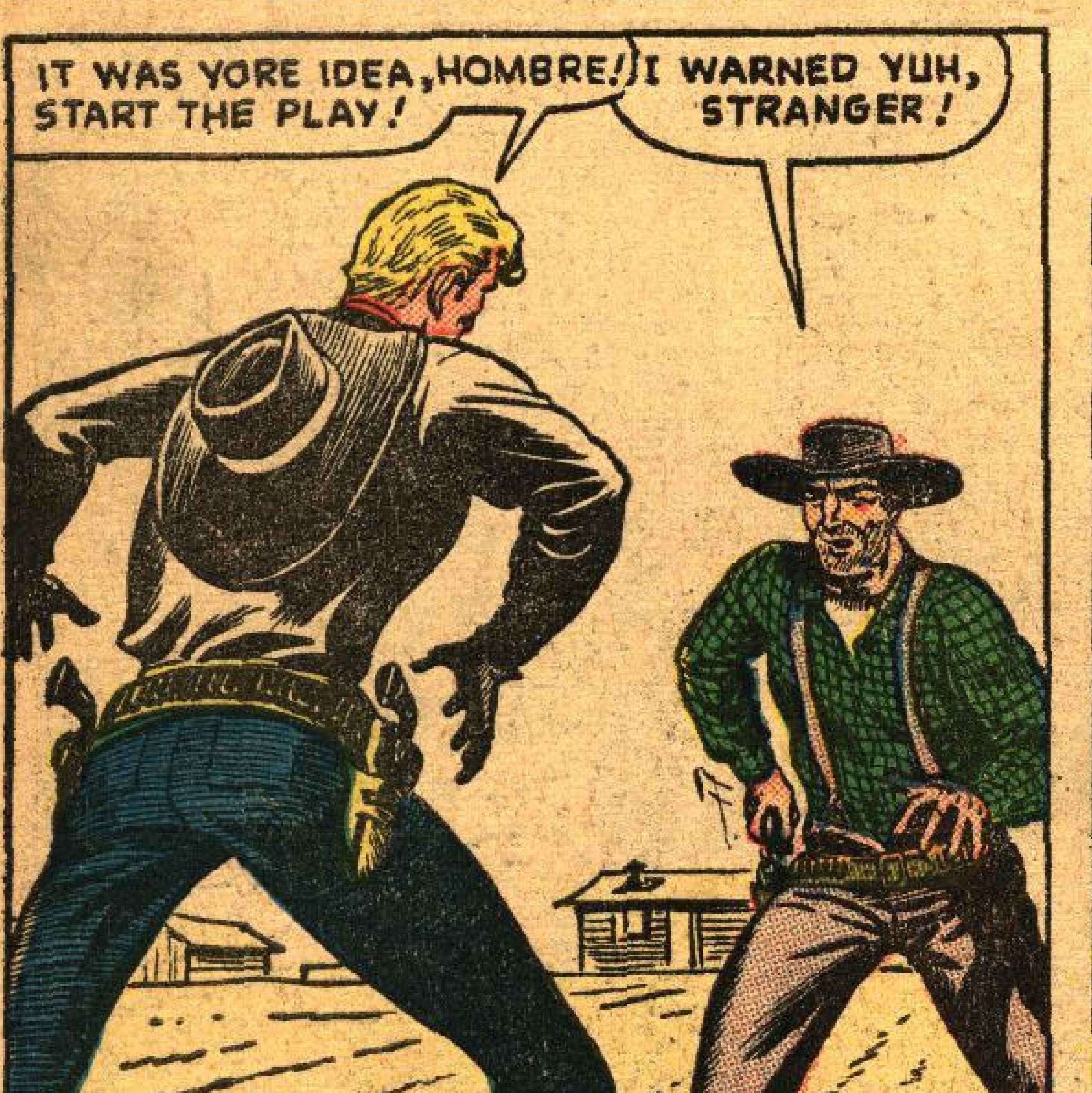
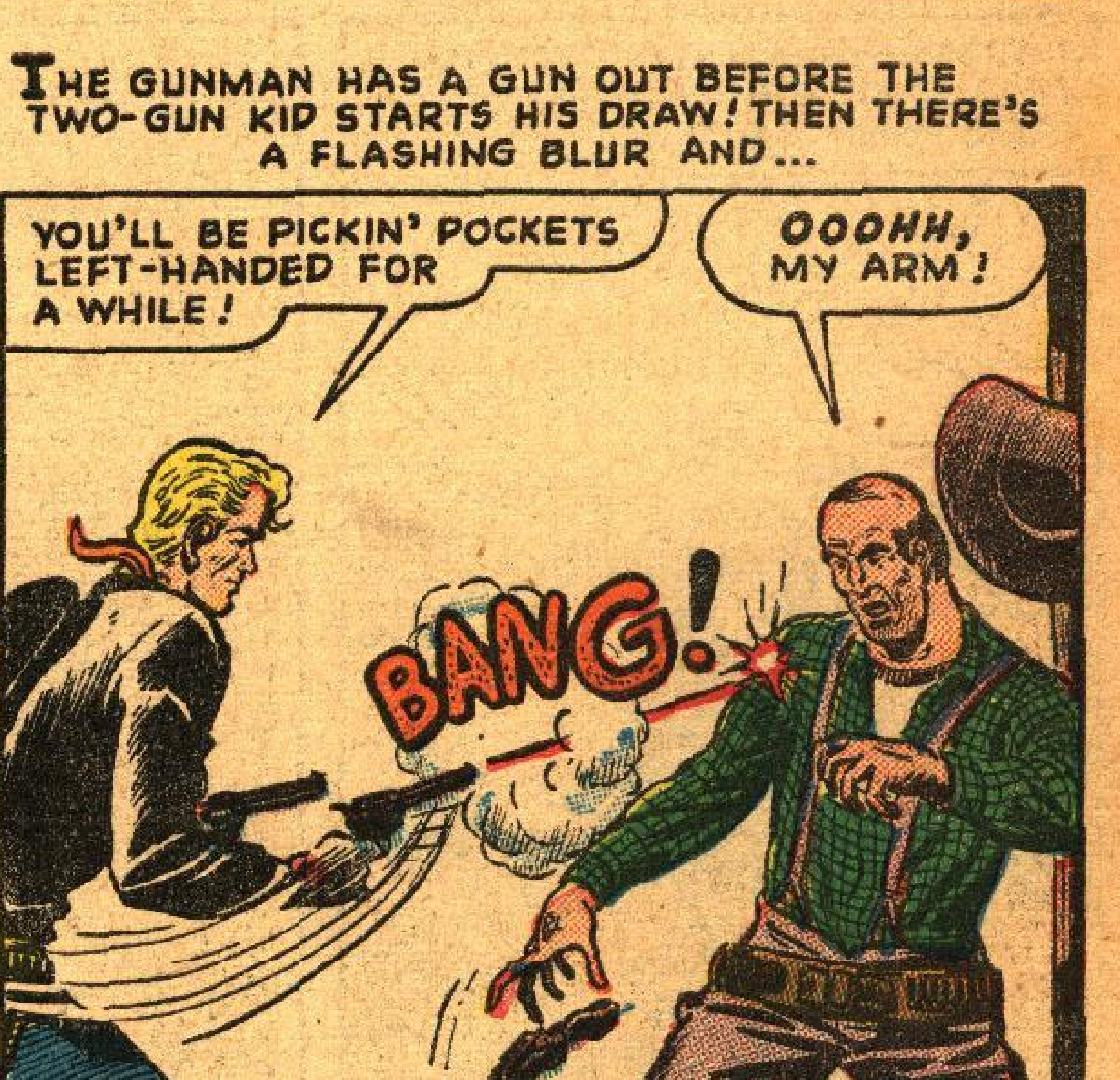
THE TWO-GUN KID
I CHALLENGE THE ARMY!!
NO ONE IN THE ENTIRE WEST EXCEPT THE TWO-GUN KID WOULD HAVE HAD THE IRON NERVE AND RAW COURAGE TO SHOUT THAT PHRASE!
I GUESS WE'LL DRIFT OVER TO THAT TOWN YONDER AND GET SOME GRUB, CYCLONE!
FEED • GRAIN
HOTEL
SOME MIGHTY SALTY CHARACTERS ARE WALKIN' AROUND LOOSE--THIS MUST BE ONE OF THOSE WIDE-OPEN TOWNS YOU HEAR ABOUT!
LAWSON'S CRYSTAL PALACE
THAT WALLET IS MIGHTY APPEALIN'! IT DOESN'T MATTER IF I GET CAUGHT AT IT...GABE LAWSON WOULDN'T MIND A LITTLE PICKPOCKET STUFF AS LONG AS ONE OF HIS BOYS DOES IT!

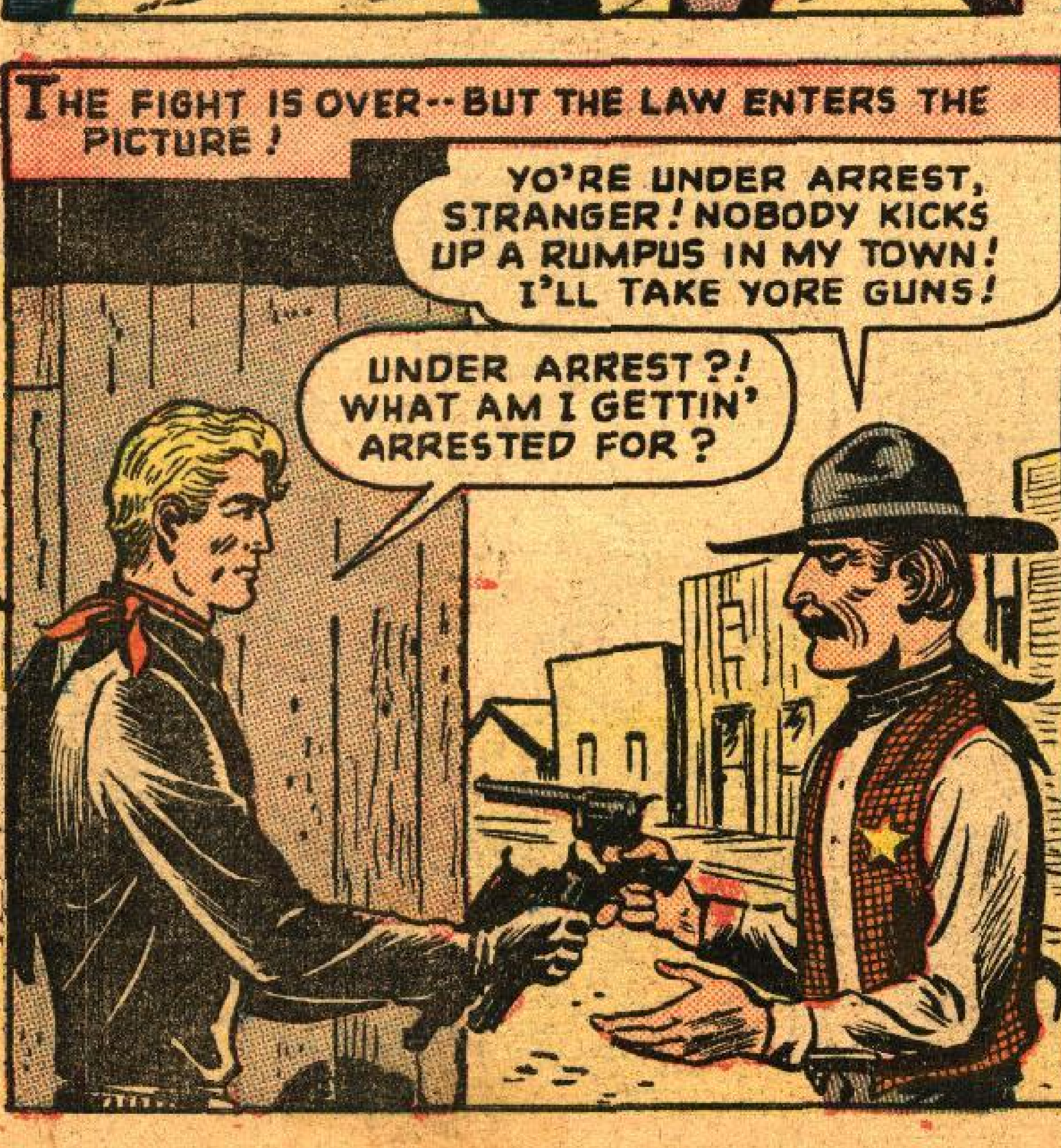

WATCH WHO YUH BUMP, STRANGER! THAT AIN'T HEALTHY IN *THIS* TOWN!
SORRY, PARDNER, I THOUGHT YOU HAD PLENTY OF ROOM!

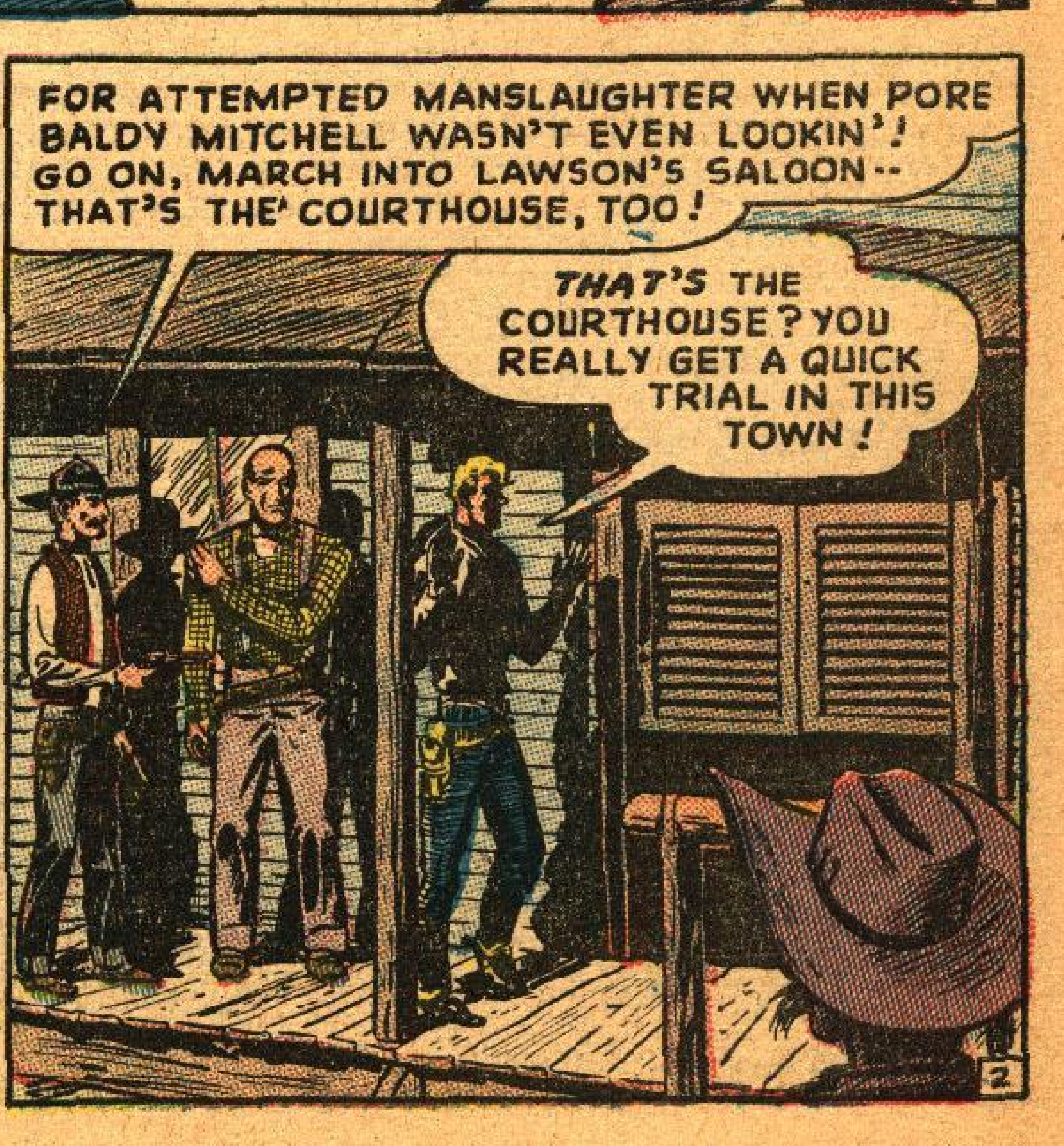

HOLD IT A MINUTE, FRIEND--I THINK THAT'S MY WALLET YOU HAVE THERE!
NOT SO FAST, STRANGER--ACCUSIN' PEOPLE IS LIKE TUH GET YUH A HOLE IN THE HAID FROM A FORTY-FIVE!


HAND THAT OVER OR YOU'LL BE WEARIN' YOUR TEETH ON A STRING AROUND YOUR NECK!
YO'RE WEARIN' GUNS! AFRAID TUH USE 'EM?


IT WAS YORE IDEA, HOMBRE! START THE PLAY!
I WARNED YUH, STRANGER!

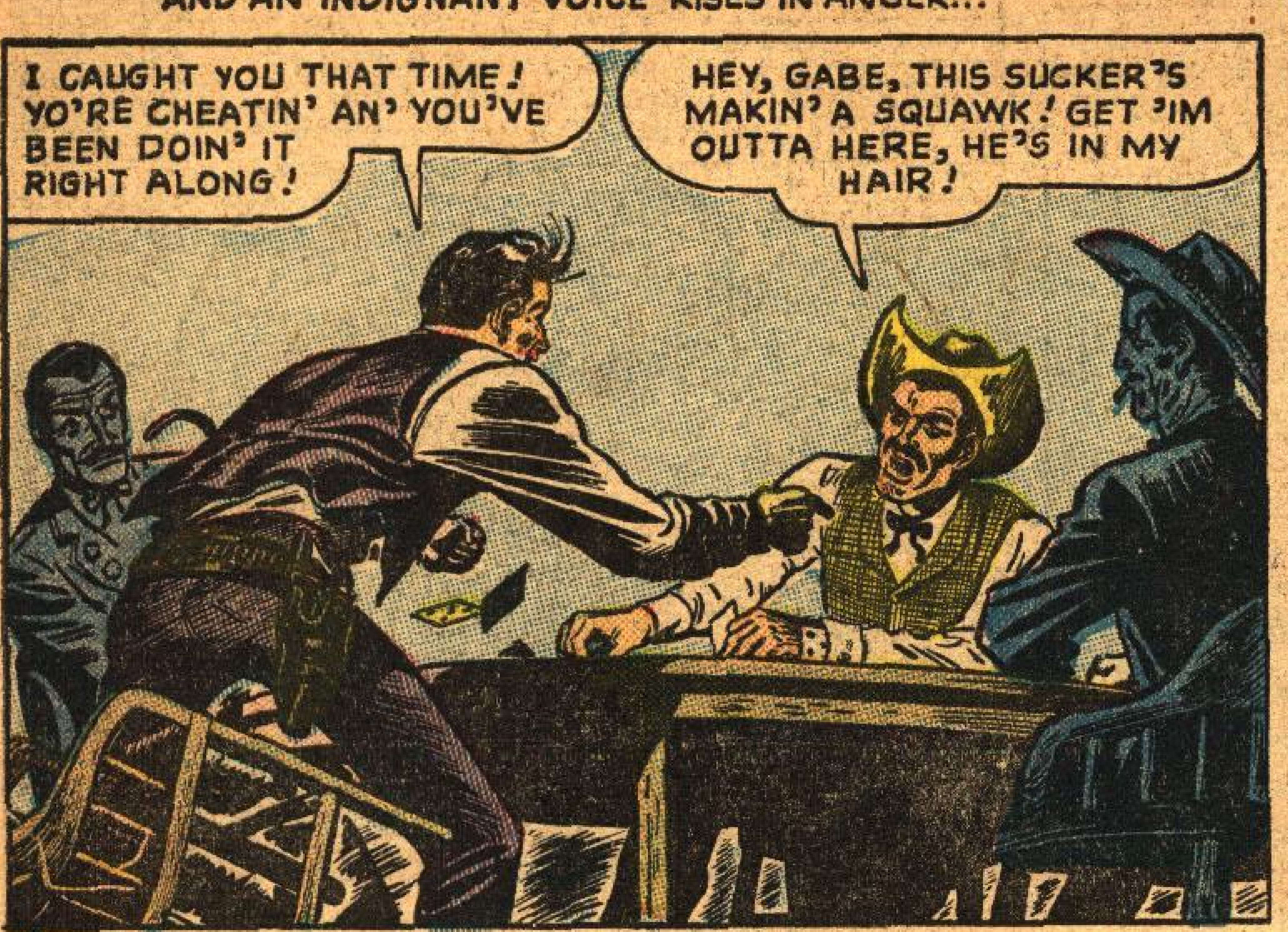

THE GUNMAN HAS A GUN OUT BEFORE THE TWO-GUN KID STARTS HIS DRAW! THEN THERE'S A FLASHING BLUR AND...
YOU'LL BE PICKIN' POCKETS LEFT-HANDED FOR A WHILE!
OOOHH, MY ARM!
BANG!

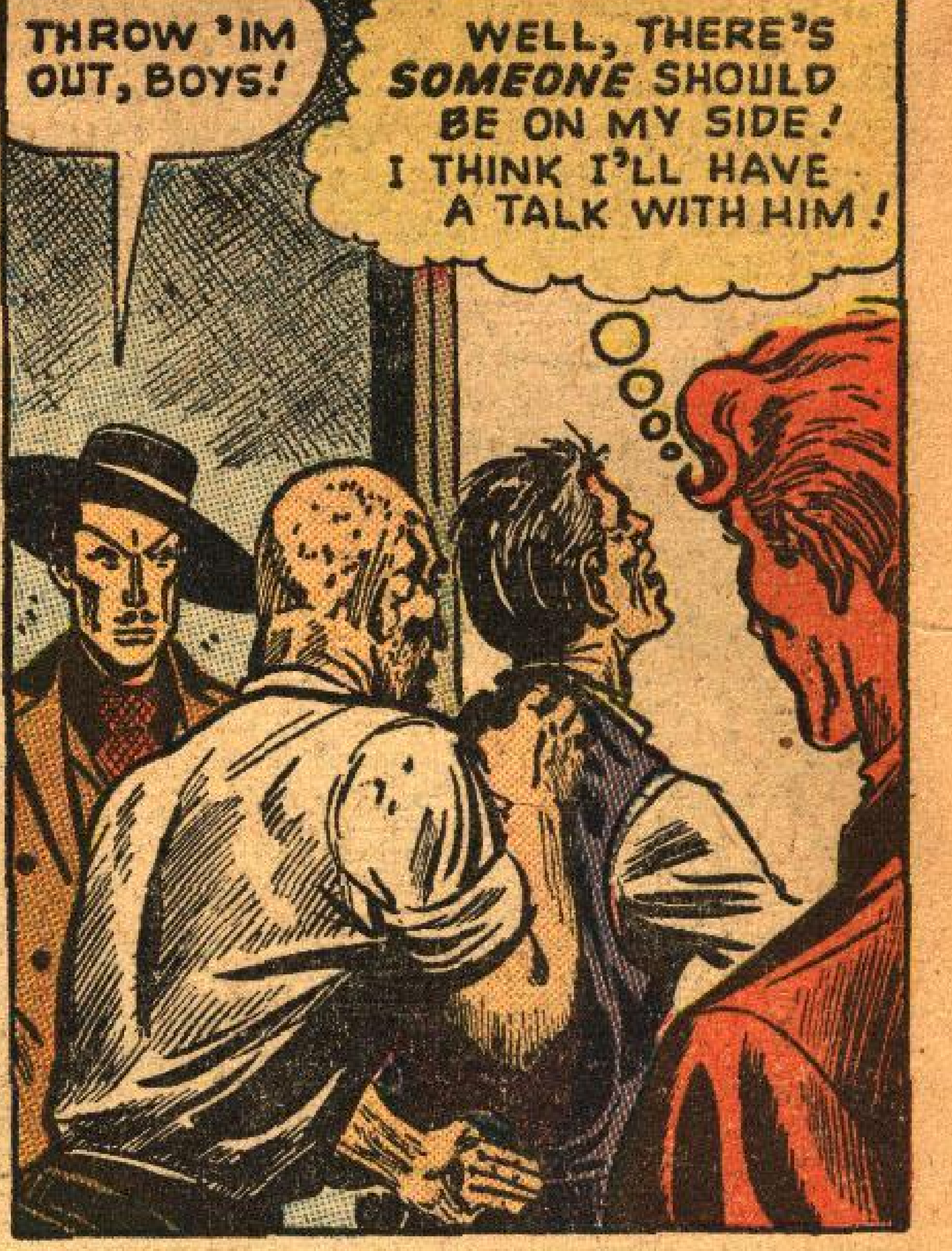

THE FIGHT IS OVER--BUT THE LAW ENTERS THE PICTURE!
YO'RE UNDER ARREST, STRANGER! NOBODY KICKS UP A RUMPUS IN MY TOWN! I'LL TAKE YORE GUNS!
UNDER ARREST?! WHAT AM I GETTIN' ARRESTED FOR?

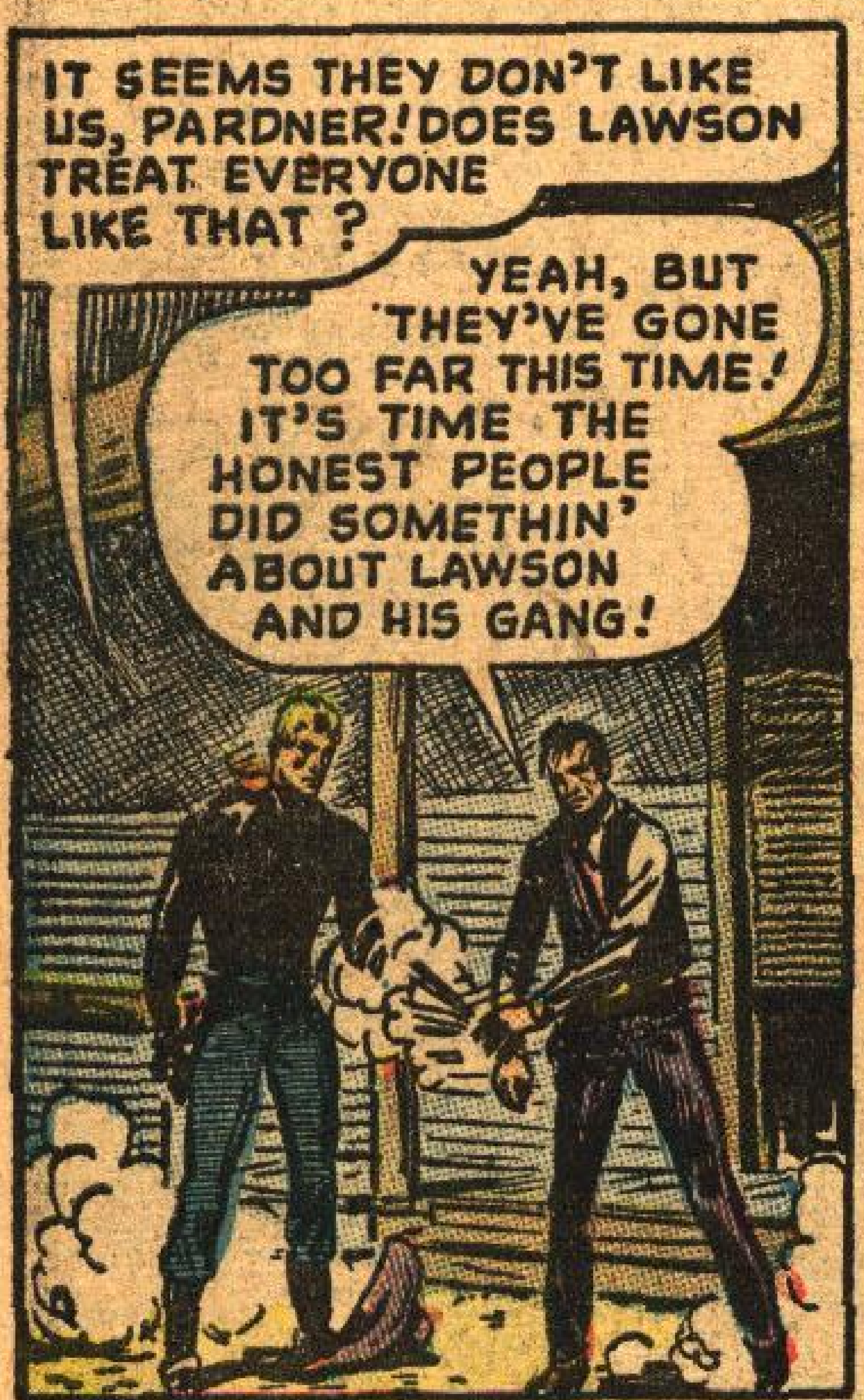

FOR ATTEMPTED MANSLAUGHTER WHEN PORE BALDY MITCHELL WASN'T EVEN LOOKIN'! GO ON, MARCH INTO LAWSON'S SALOON--THAT'S THE COURTHOUSE, TOO!
THAT'S THE COURTHOUSE? YOU REALLY GET A QUICK TRIAL IN THIS TOWN!

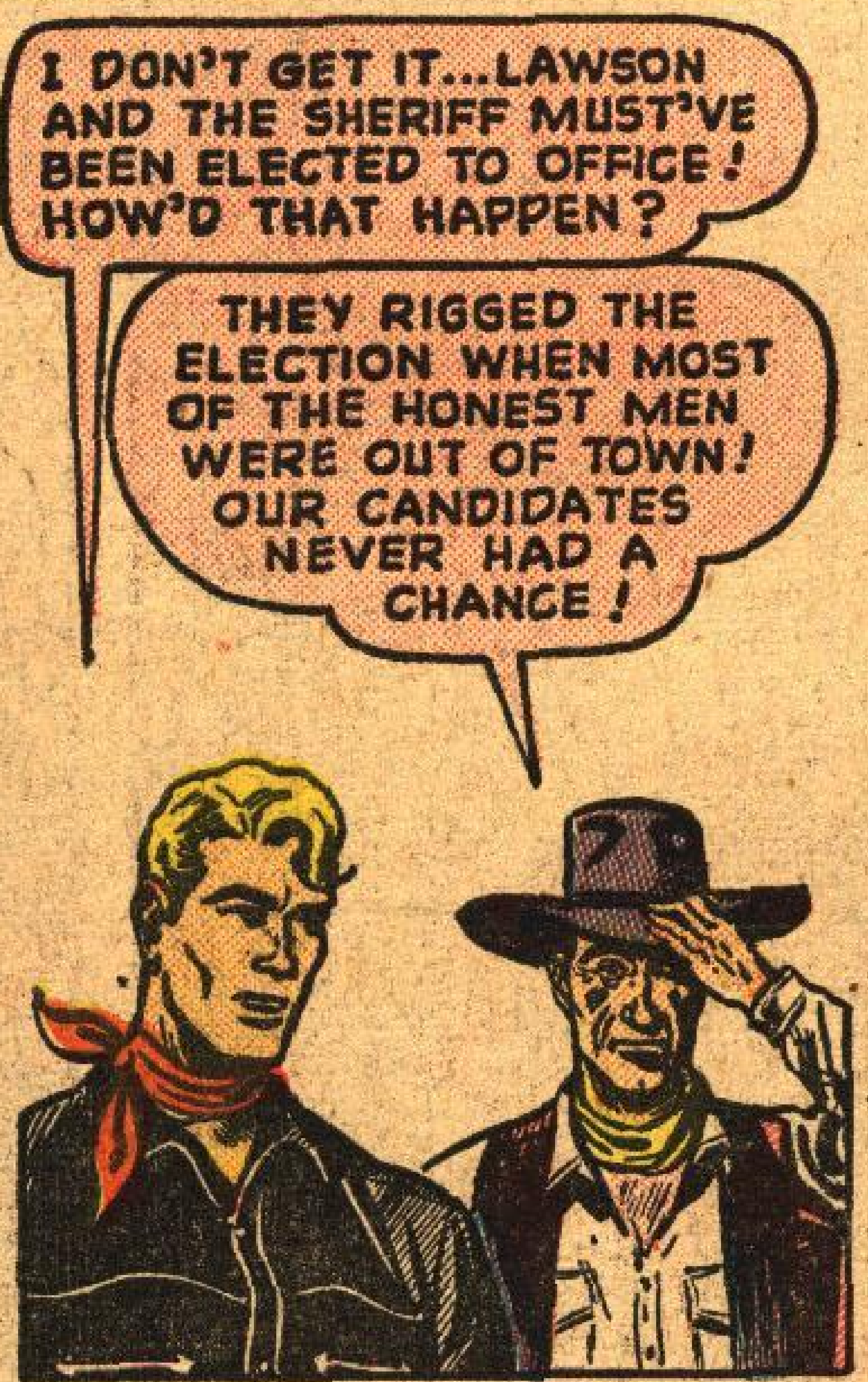
GABE LAWSON, DISTRICT JUDGE, IS HOLDING COURT-- OVER A POKER TABLE!
THIS FELLER JUST TRIED TUH SHOOT BALDY MITCHELL DOWN IN COLD BLOOD! GOT TIME TUH SENTENCE HIM, JUDGE?
YEAH, MAY AS WELL GET IT OVER WITH QUICK! BRING 'IM OVER TO THE TABLE AT THE WALL THERE-- WE'LL FINISH HIM FAST!
THE JURY IS QUICKLY SELECTED AND WITNESSES CALLED...
YOU FELLERS WILL BE THE JURY--GET THE WITNESSES UP HERE, SHERIFF, I WANT TUH GET BACK TUH THE CARD GAME!
OKAY, BOSS! HEY, ONE-EYE AN' RUFE, COME OVER HERE FOR A COUPLA MINUTES, WILL YUH?
YUH FELLERS KNOW THE STRANGER SHOT BALDY WITHOUT WARNIN', DON'T YUH? OKAY, YO'RE WITNESSES!
THIS JOKE'S GONE FAR ENOUGH! THOSE TWO MEN WEREN'T OUT THERE WHEN IT HAPPENED!
I SEEN THIS GALOOT SHOOT BALDY WHEN BALDY HAD HIS BACK TURNED! RIGHT, RUFE?
'AT'S RIGHT, ONE-EYE! HE NEVER GIVE BALDY A CHANCE!
WELL, THAT'S ALL THE EVIDENCE THIS COURT'S GOT TIME FOR! GENTLEMEN OF THE JURY, IS HE GUILTY OR AIN'T HE GUILTY?
GUILTY!
THIS COURT RULES THAT AS LONG AS WE HAVEN'T GOT A JAIL, HE'S FINED ALL THE MONEY HE HAS, SAID MONEY TUH GO TUH BALDY TUH MAKE 'IM FEEL BETTER! THE PRISONER IS TUH LEAVE TOWN BEFORE SUNDOWN! COURT DISMISSED!
"JUSTICE"--LAWSON'S BRAND--HAS BEEN DONE AND THE JUDGE AND JURY MOVE TO THE BAR FOR A DRINK!
GIVE THE JURY A DRINK! JUDGIN' IS A DRY BUSINESS!
THAT WAS THE QUICKEST JUSTICE I EVER SAW! I THINK I'LL STICK AROUND THIS TOWN-- I'M CURIOUS--AND ***BROKE!***

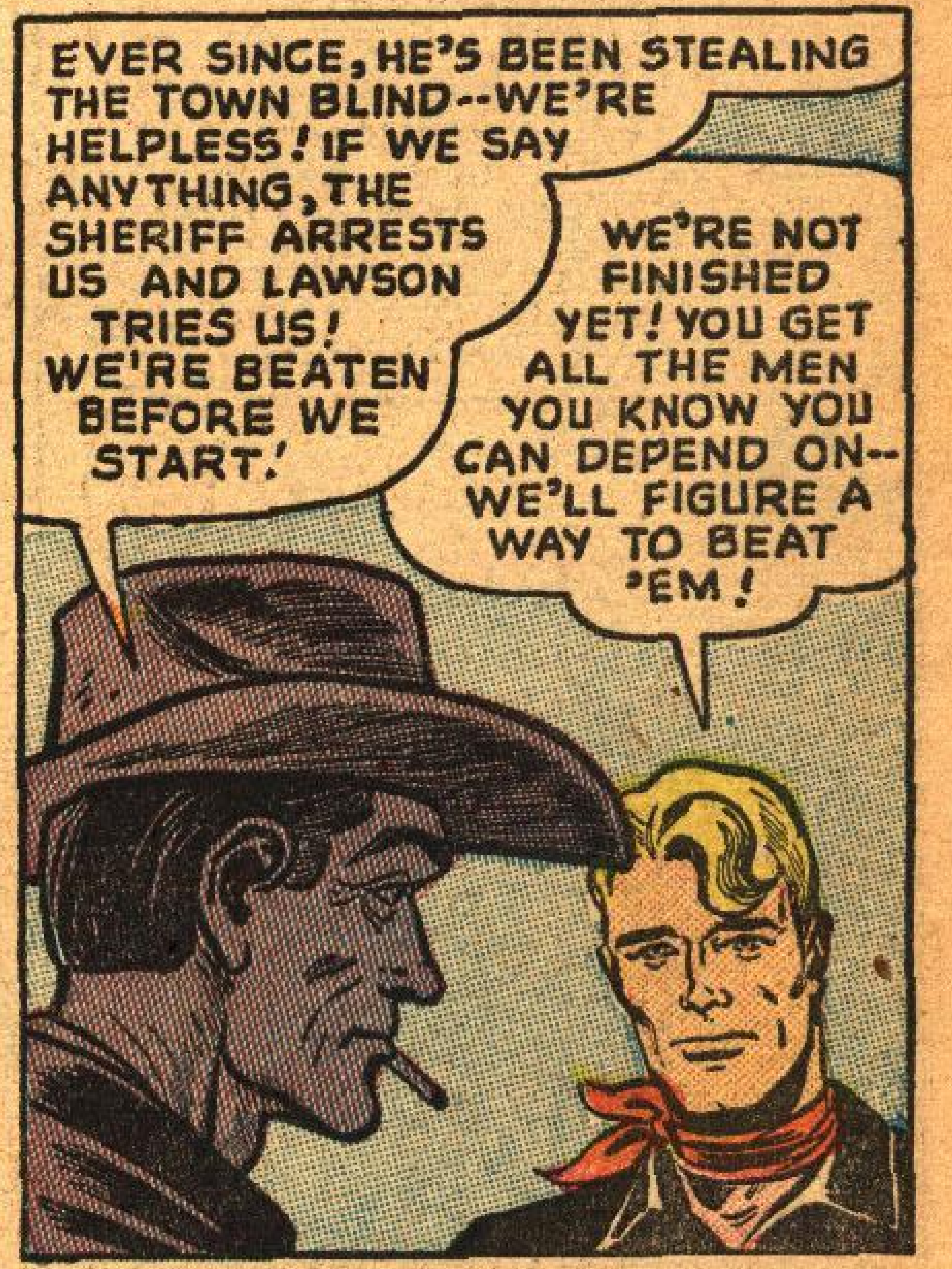
THE TWO-GUN KID'S ATTENTION IS CAUGHT AS A CHAIR TUMBLES AND AN INDIGNANT VOICE RISES IN ANGER...


I CAUGHT YOU THAT TIME! YO'RE CHEATIN' AN' YOU'VE BEEN DOIN' IT RIGHT ALONG!
HEY, GABE, THIS SUCKER'S MAKIN' A *SQUAWK*! GET 'IM OUTTA HERE, HE'S IN MY HAIR!

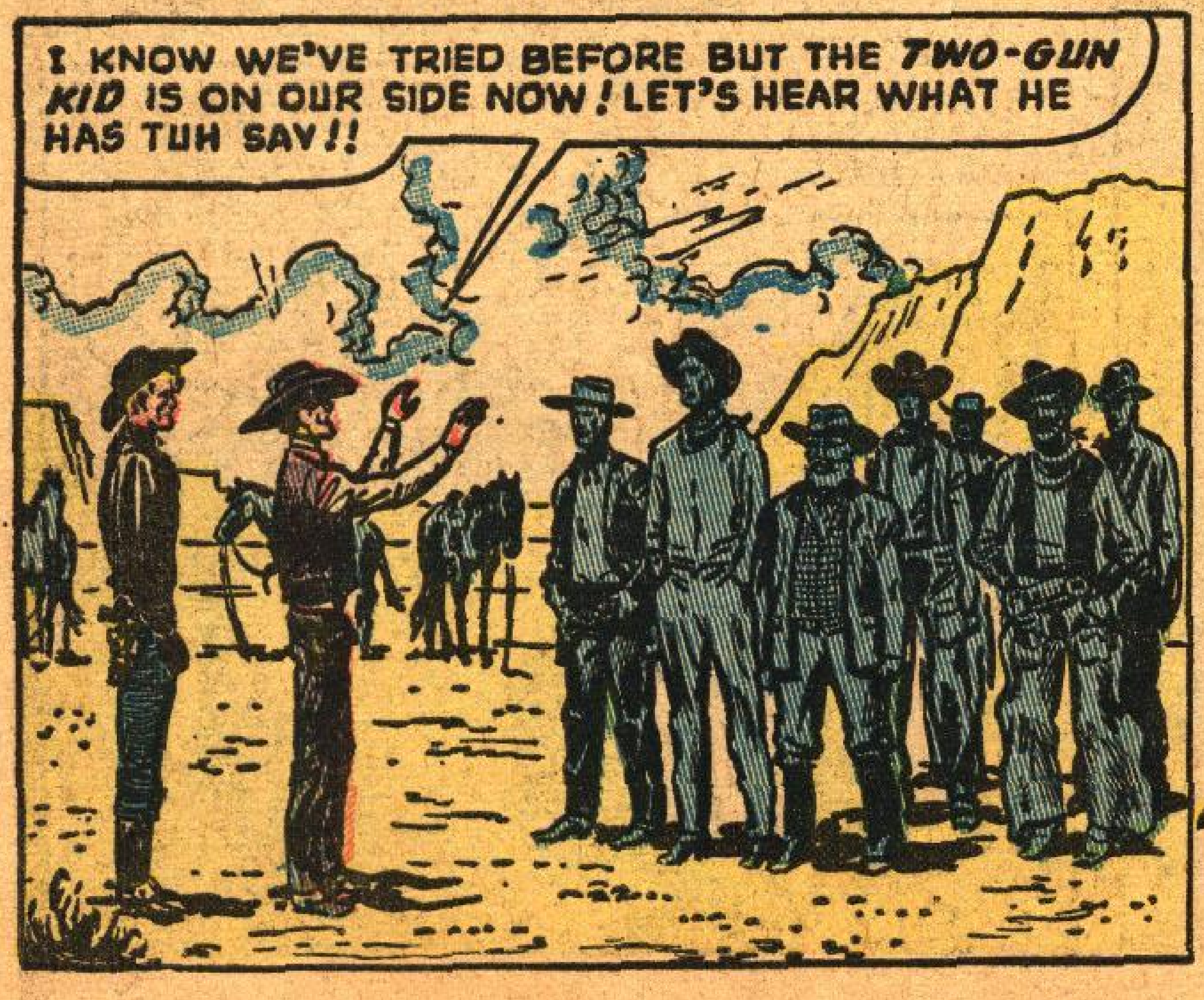

THROW 'IM OUT, BOYS!
WELL, THERE'S *SOMEONE* SHOULD BE ON MY SIDE! I THINK I'LL HAVE A TALK WITH HIM!

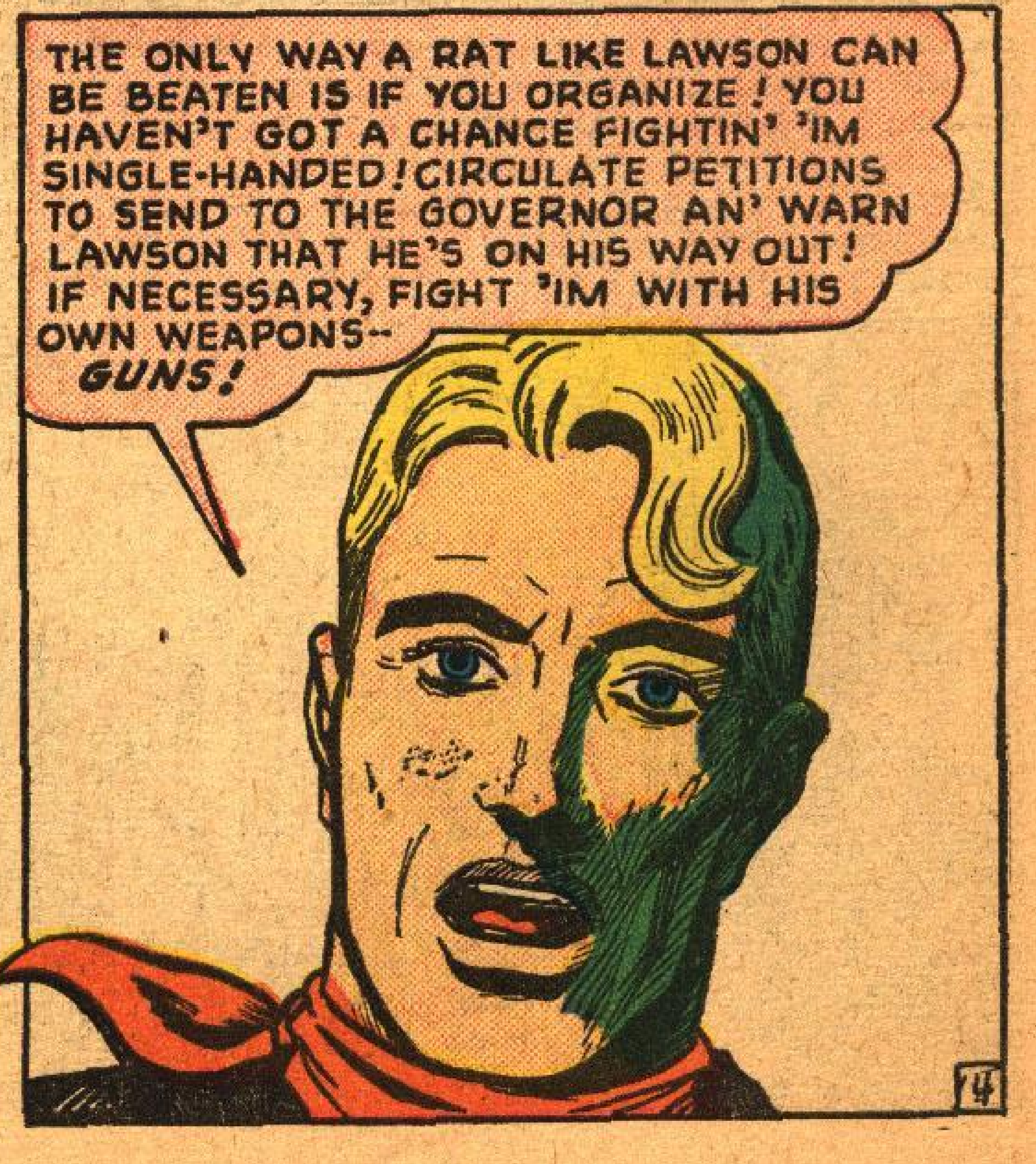

IT SEEMS THEY DON'T LIKE US, PARDNER! DOES LAWSON TREAT EVERYONE LIKE THAT?
YEAH, BUT THEY'VE GONE TOO FAR THIS TIME! IT'S TIME THE HONEST PEOPLE DID SOMETHIN' ABOUT LAWSON AND HIS GANG!

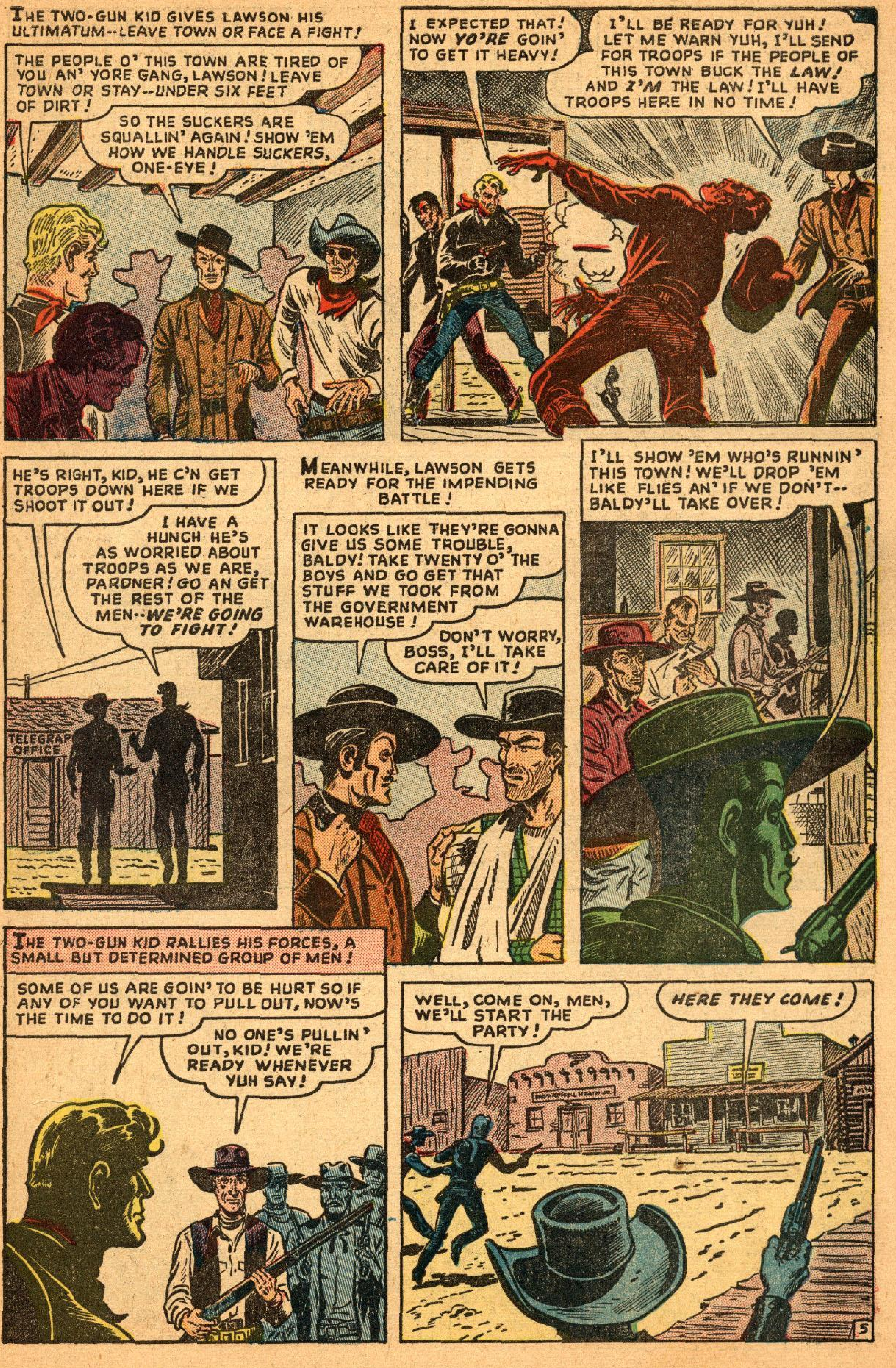

I DON'T GET IT...LAWSON AND THE SHERIFF MUST'VE BEEN ELECTED TO OFFICE! HOW'D THAT HAPPEN?
THEY RIGGED THE ELECTION WHEN MOST OF THE HONEST MEN WERE OUT OF TOWN! OUR CANDIDATES NEVER HAD A CHANCE!

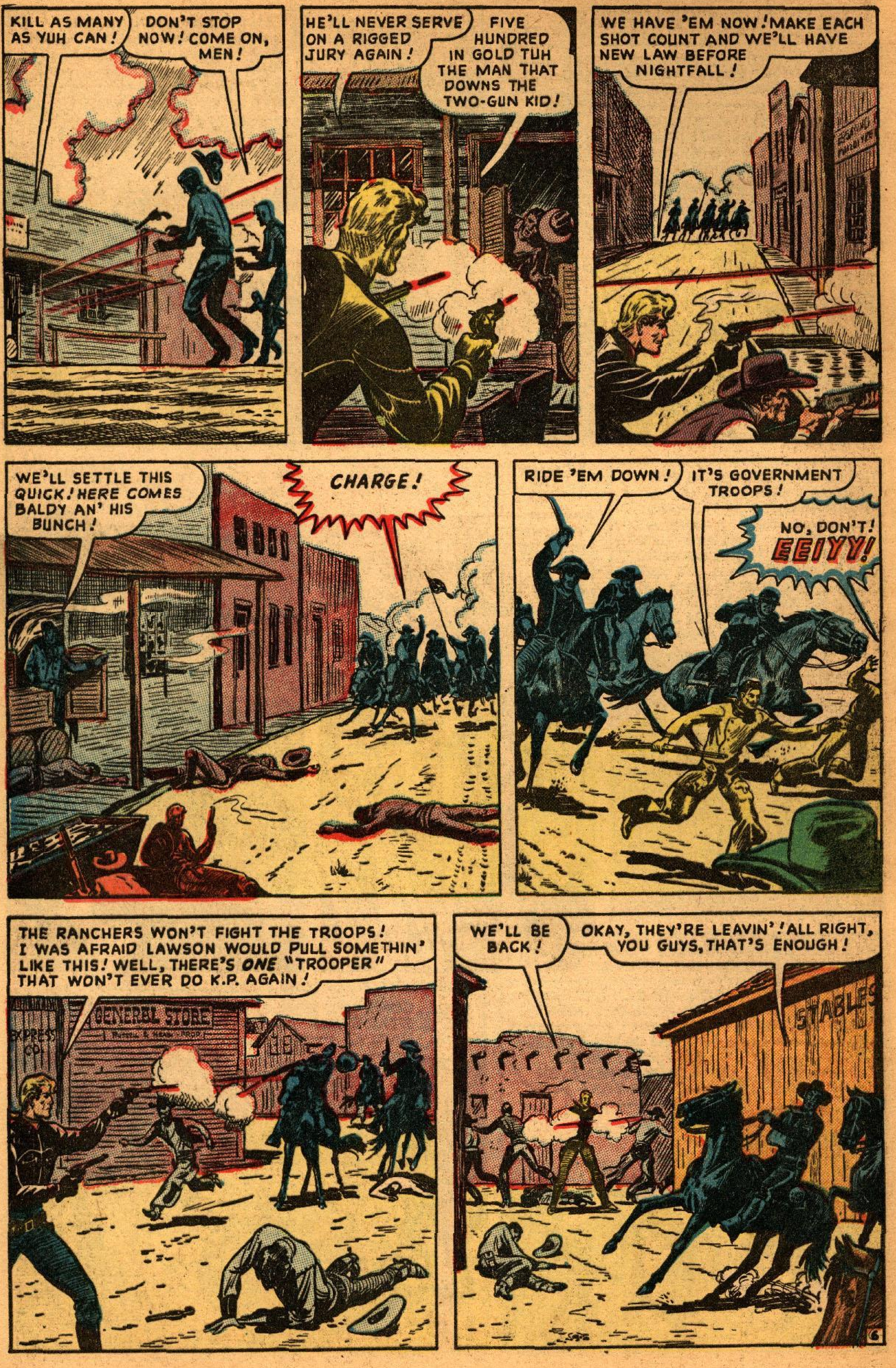

EVER SINCE, HE'S BEEN STEALING THE TOWN BLIND--WE'RE HELPLESS! IF WE SAY ANYTHING, THE SHERIFF ARRESTS US AND LAWSON TRIES US! WE'RE BEATEN BEFORE WE START!
WE'RE NOT FINISHED YET! YOU GET ALL THE MEN YOU KNOW YOU CAN DEPEND ON--WE'LL FIGURE A WAY TO BEAT 'EM!

THE HONEST MEN GATHER! THEY'RE NOT HOPEFUL--BUT THEY'RE WILLING TO TRY!


I KNOW WE'VE TRIED BEFORE BUT THE *TWO-GUN KID* IS ON OUR SIDE NOW! LET'S HEAR WHAT HE HAS TUH SAY!!


THE ONLY WAY A RAT LIKE LAWSON CAN BE BEATEN IS IF YOU ORGANIZE! YOU HAVEN'T GOT A CHANCE FIGHTIN' 'IM SINGLE-HANDED! CIRCULATE PETITIONS TO SEND TO THE GOVERNOR AN' WARN LAWSON THAT HE'S ON HIS WAY OUT! IF NECESSARY, FIGHT 'IM WITH HIS OWN WEAPONS--*GUNS!*


THE TWO-GUN KID GIVES LAWSON HIS ULTIMATUM--LEAVE TOWN OR FACE A FIGHT!
THE PEOPLE O' THIS TOWN ARE TIRED OF YOU AN' YORE GANG, LAWSON! LEAVE TOWN OR STAY--UNDER SIX FEET OF DIRT!
SO THE SUCKERS ARE SQUALLIN' AGAIN! SHOW 'EM HOW WE HANDLE SUCKERS, ONE-EYE!
I EXPECTED THAT! NOW YO'RE GOIN' TO GET IT HEAVY!
I'LL BE READY FOR YUH! LET ME WARN YUH, I'LL SEND FOR TROOPS IF THE PEOPLE OF THIS TOWN BUCK THE LAW! AND I'M THE LAW! I'LL HAVE TROOPS HERE IN NO TIME!
HE'S RIGHT, KID, HE C'N GET TROOPS DOWN HERE IF WE SHOOT IT OUT!
I HAVE A HUNCH HE'S AS WORRIED ABOUT TROOPS AS WE ARE, PARDNER! GO AN GET THE REST OF THE MEN--WE'RE GOING TO FIGHT!
TELEGRAP
OFFICE
MEANWHILE, LAWSON GETS READY FOR THE IMPENDING BATTLE!
IT LOOKS LIKE THEY'RE GONNA GIVE US SOME TROUBLE, BALDY! TAKE TWENTY O' THE BOYS AND GO GET THAT STUFF WE TOOK FROM THE GOVERNMENT WAREHOUSE!
DON'T WORRY, BOSS, I'LL TAKE CARE OF IT!
I'LL SHOW 'EM WHO'S RUNNIN' THIS TOWN! WE'LL DROP 'EM LIKE FLIES AN' IF WE DON'T--BALDY'LL TAKE OVER!
THE TWO-GUN KID RALLIES HIS FORCES, A SMALL BUT DETERMINED GROUP OF MEN!
SOME OF US ARE GOIN' TO BE HURT SO IF ANY OF YOU WANT TO PULL OUT, NOW'S THE TIME TO DO IT!
NO ONE'S PULLIN' OUT, KID! WE'RE READY WHENEVER YUH SAY!
WELL, COME ON, MEN, WE'LL START THE PARTY!
HERE THEY COME!


KILL AS MANY AS YUH CAN!
DON'T STOP NOW! COME ON, MEN!
HE'LL NEVER SERVE ON A RIGGED JURY AGAIN!
FIVE HUNDRED IN GOLD TUH THE MAN THAT DOWNS THE TWO-GUN KID!
WE HAVE 'EM NOW! MAKE EACH SHOT COUNT AND WE'LL HAVE NEW LAW BEFORE NIGHTFALL!
WE'LL SETTLE THIS *QUICK*! HERE COMES BALDY AN' HIS BUNCH!
CHARGE!
RIDE 'EM DOWN!
IT'S GOVERNMENT TROOPS!
NO, DON'T! **EEIYY!**
THE RANCHERS WON'T FIGHT THE TROOPS! I WAS AFRAID LAWSON WOULD PULL SOMETHIN' LIKE THIS! WELL, THERE'S *ONE* "TROOPER" THAT WON'T EVER DO K.P. AGAIN!
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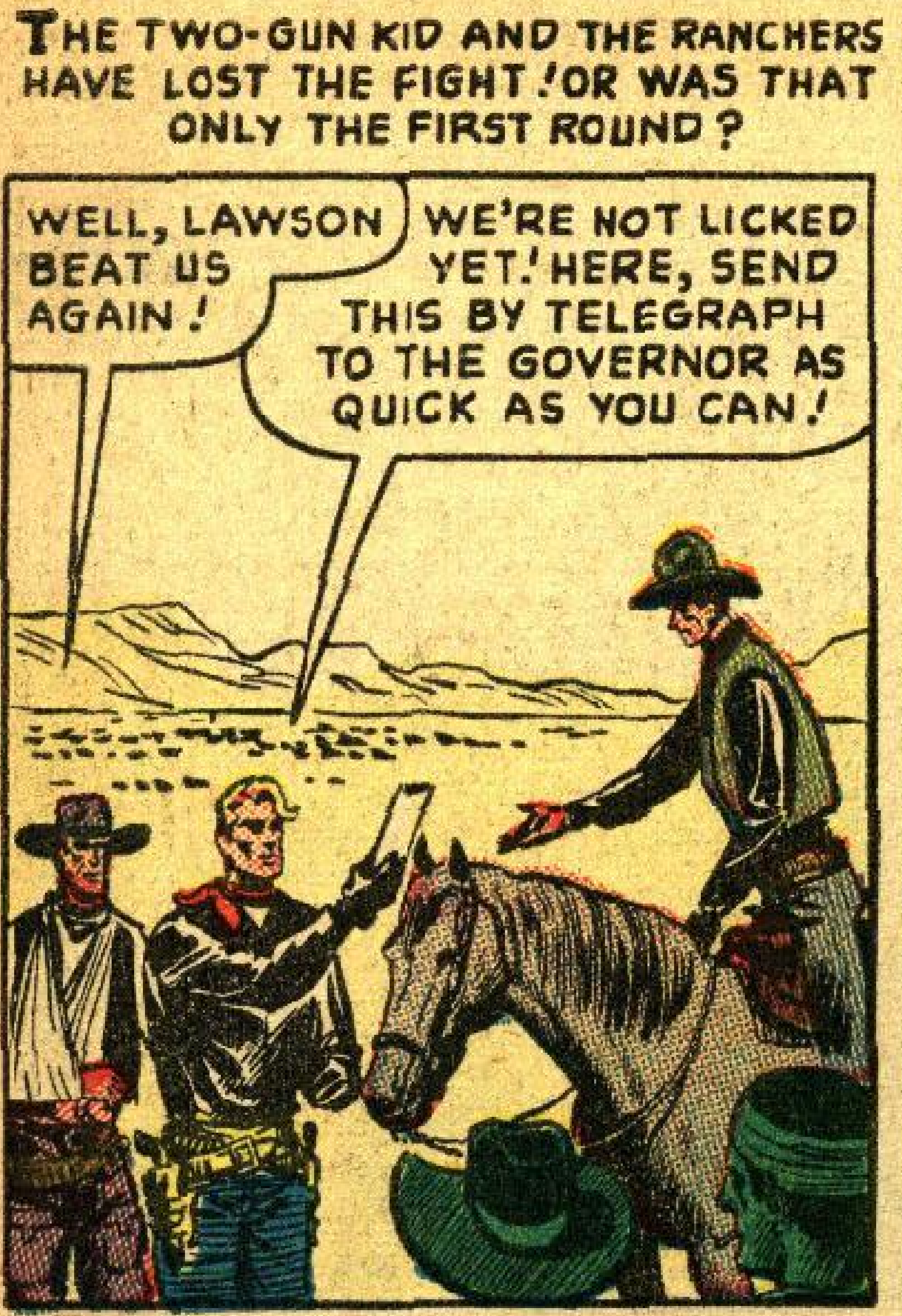
GENERBL STORE
WE'LL BE BACK!
OKAY, THEY'RE LEAVIN'! ALL RIGHT, YOU GUYS, THAT'S ENOUGH!
STABLES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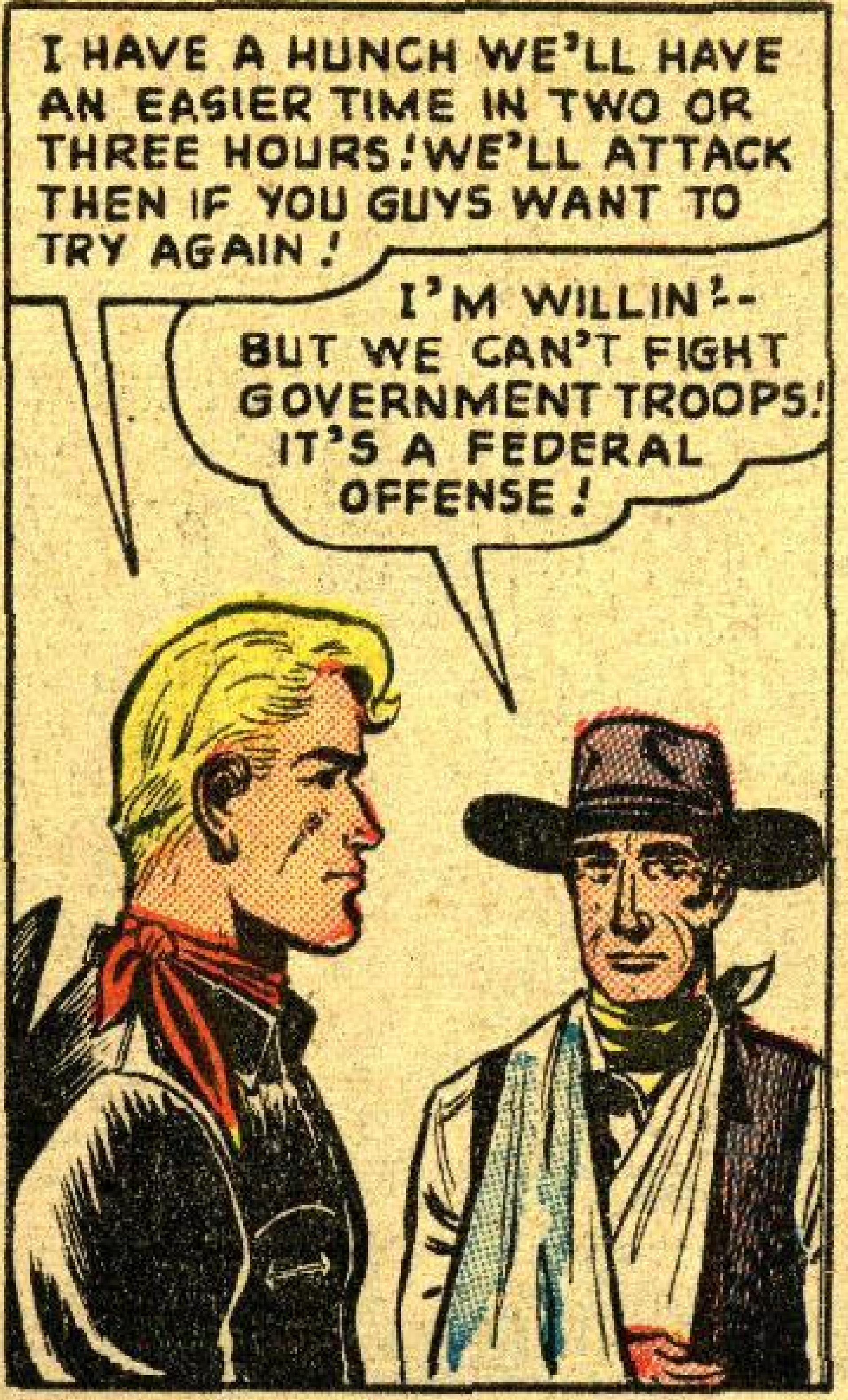
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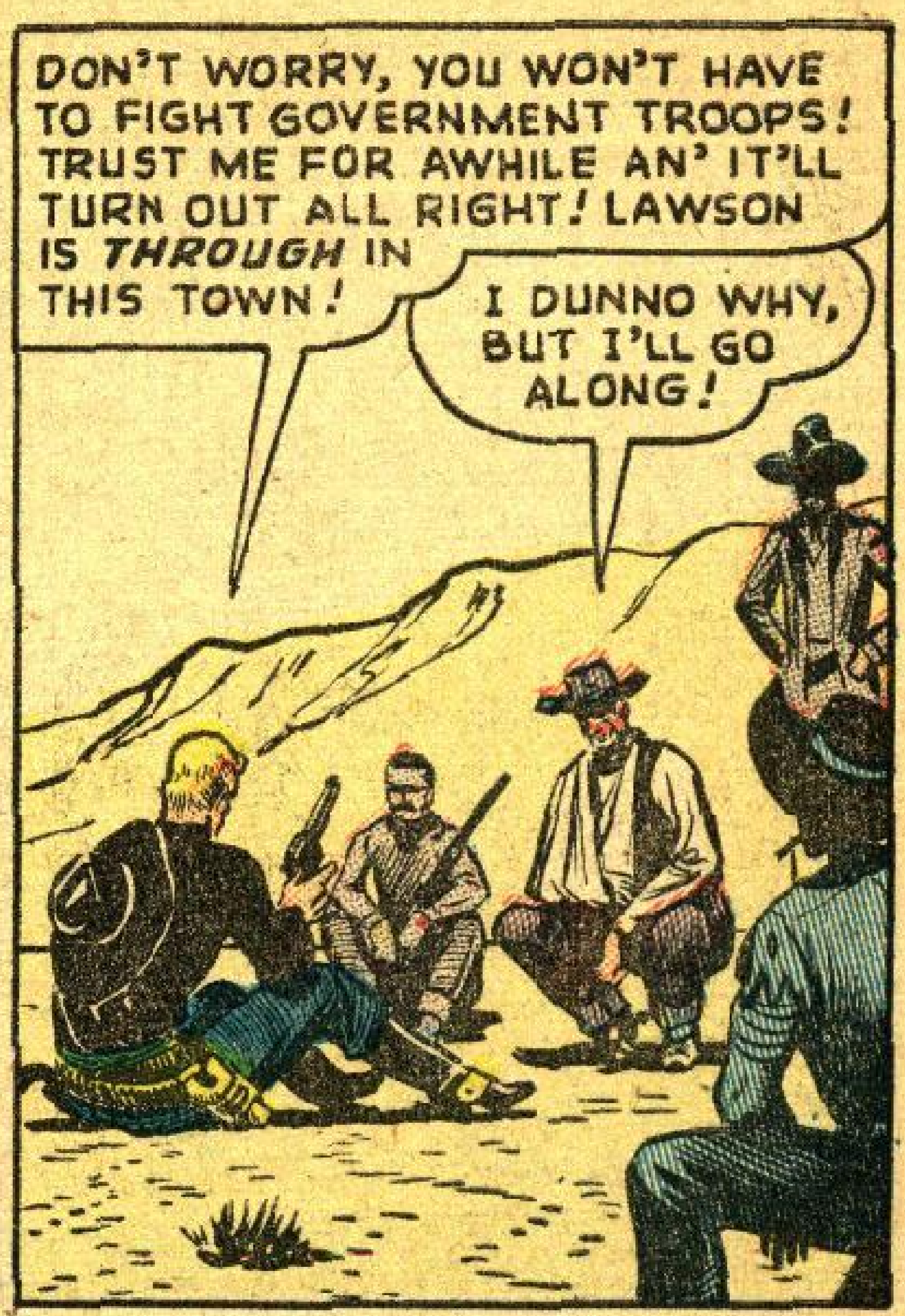
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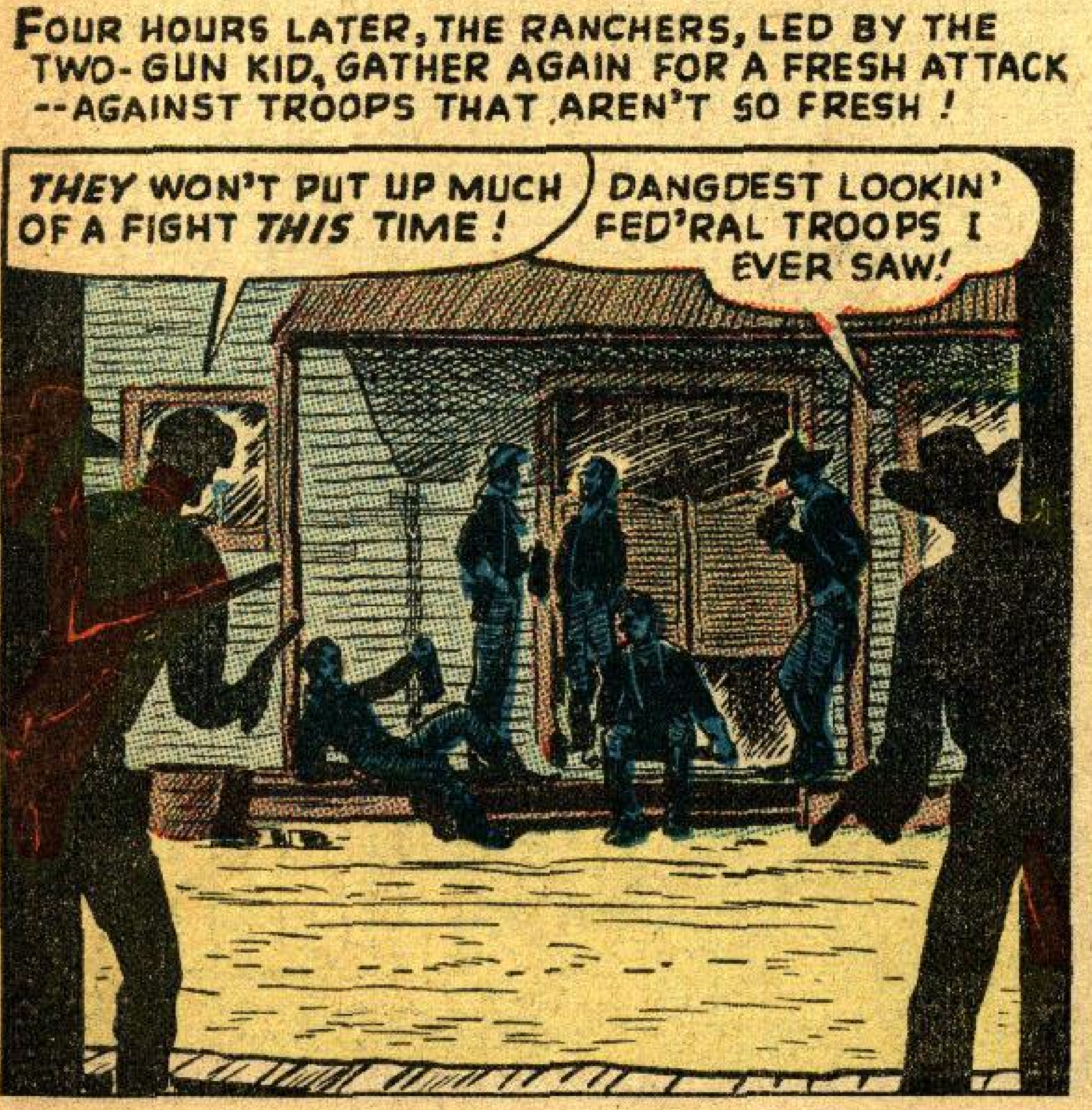
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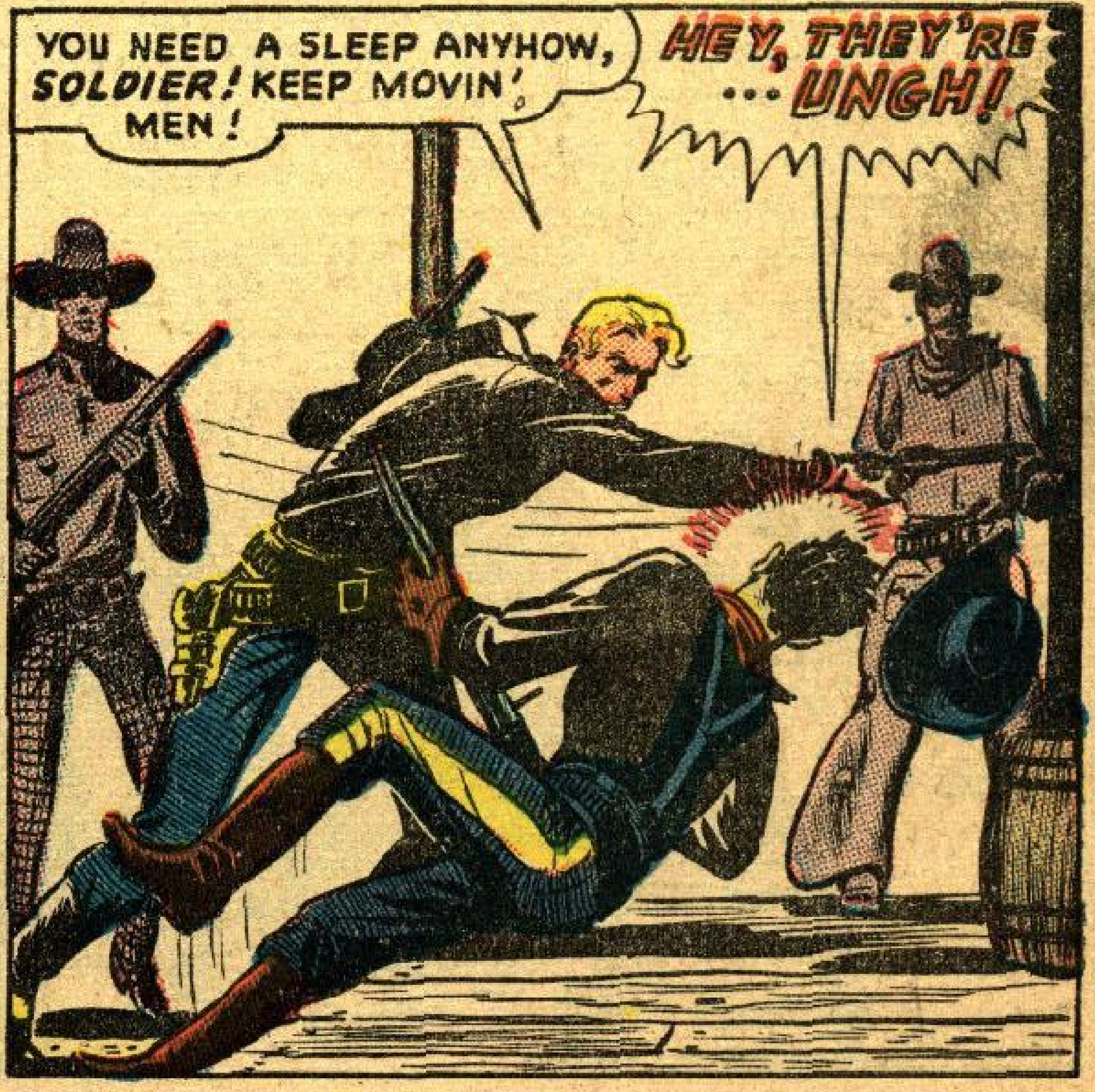
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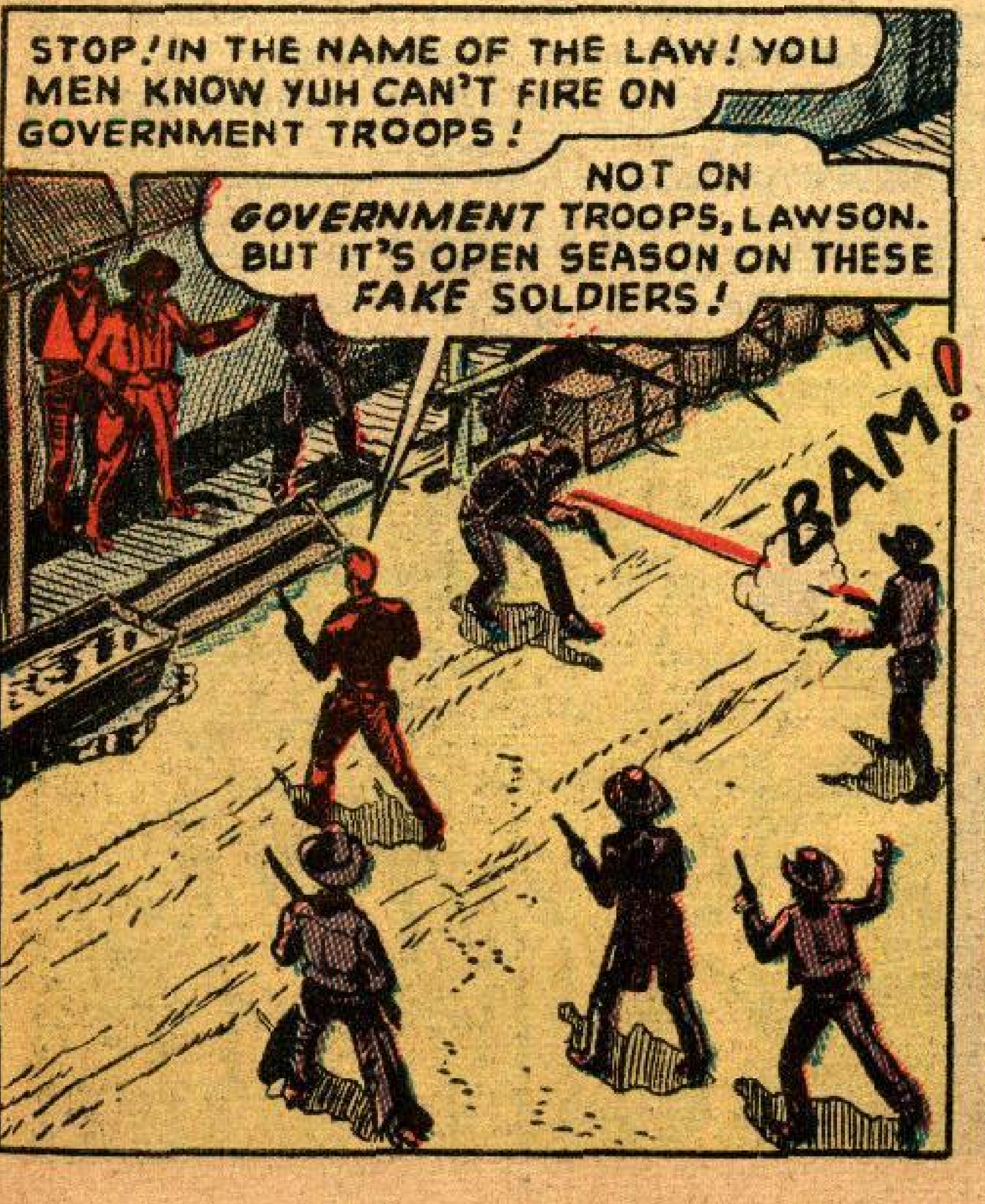
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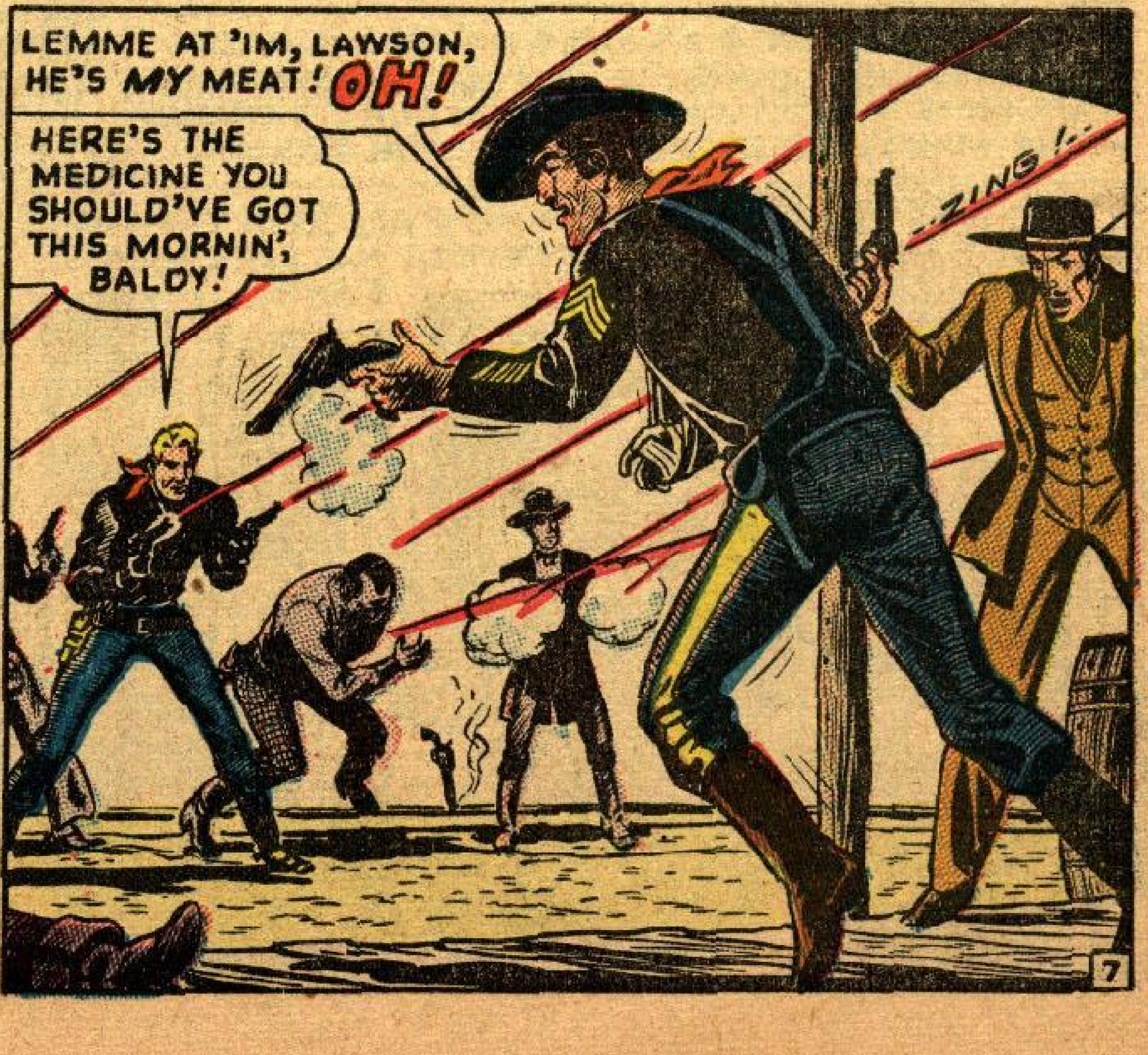
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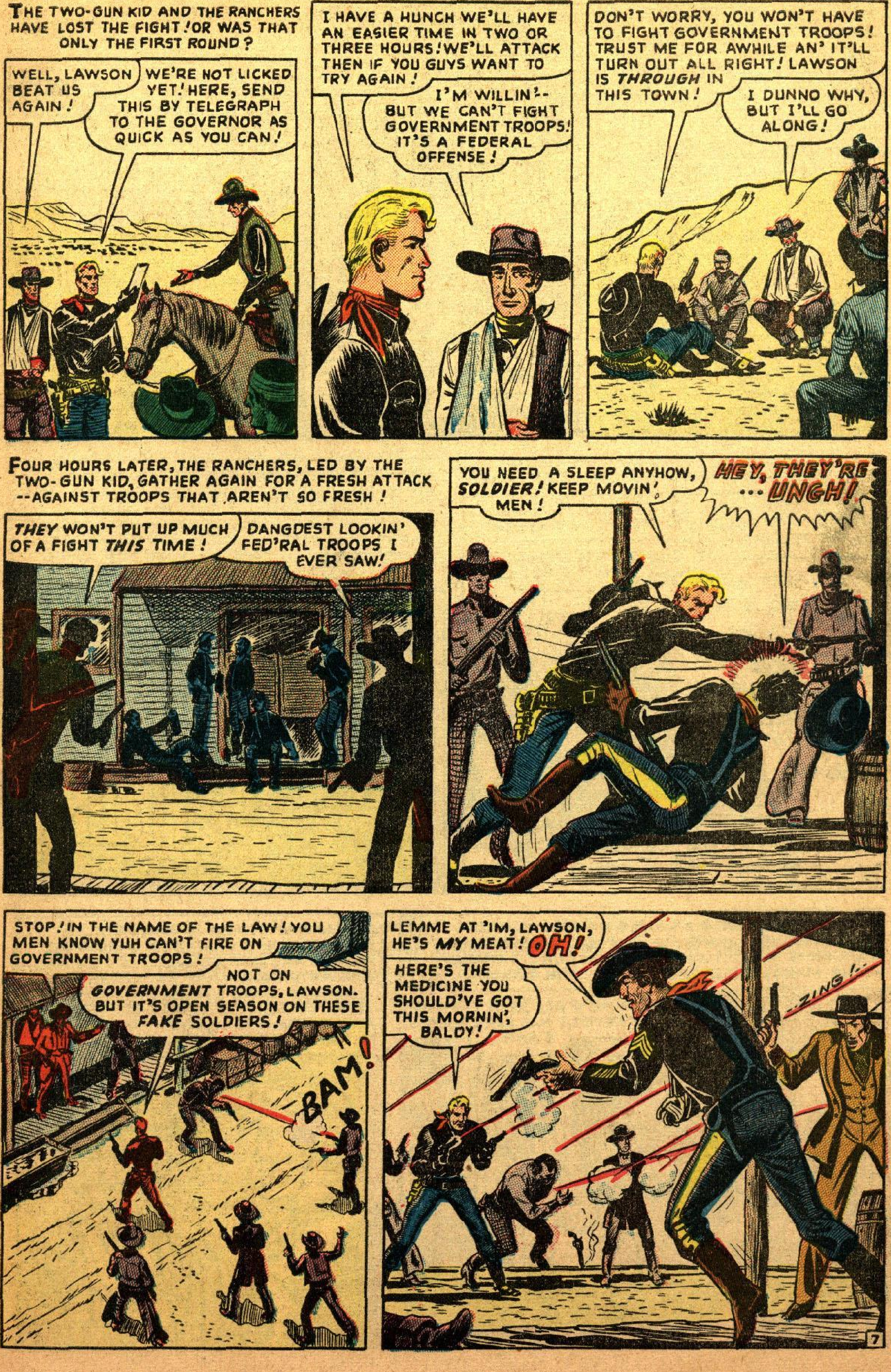
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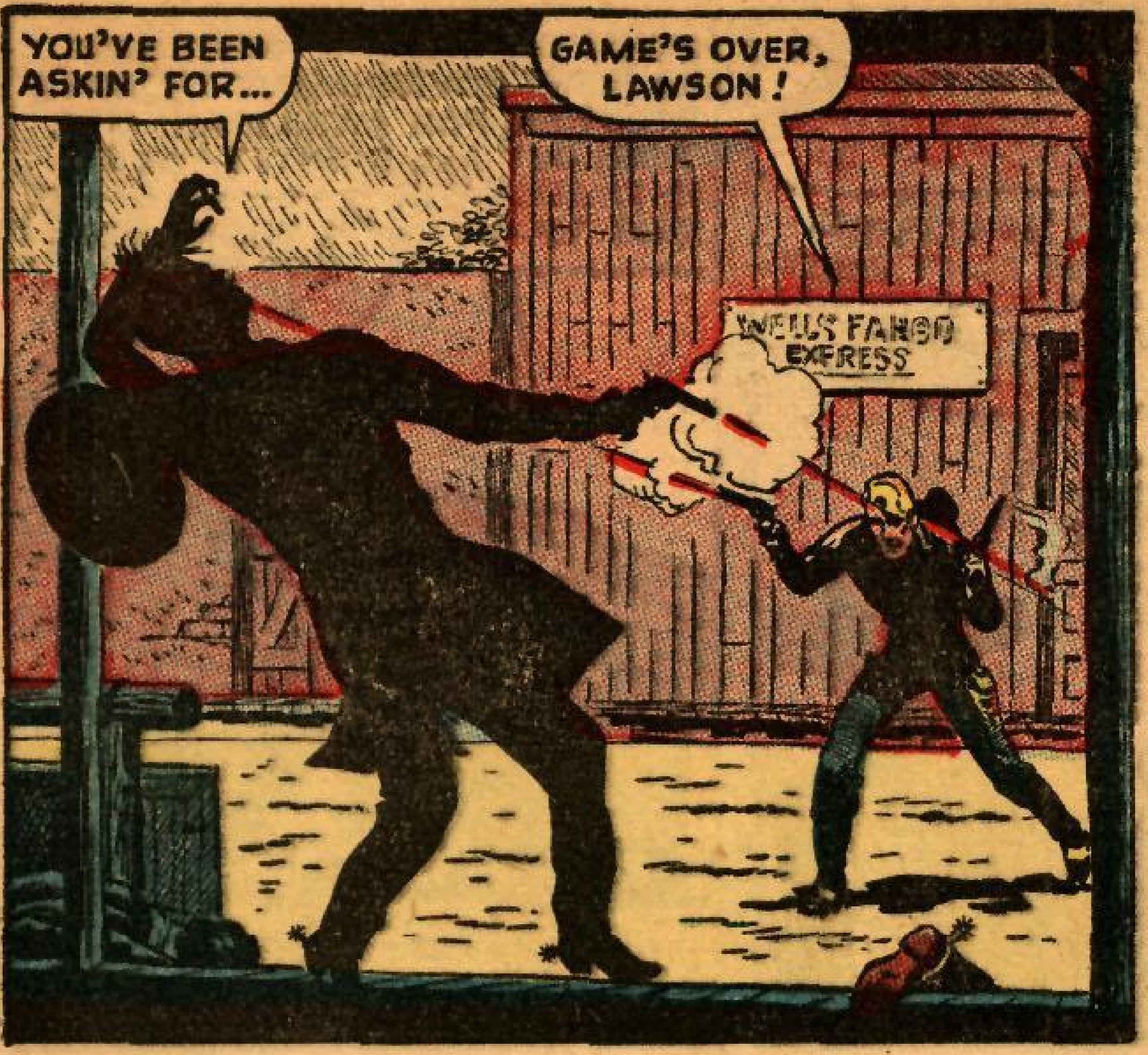
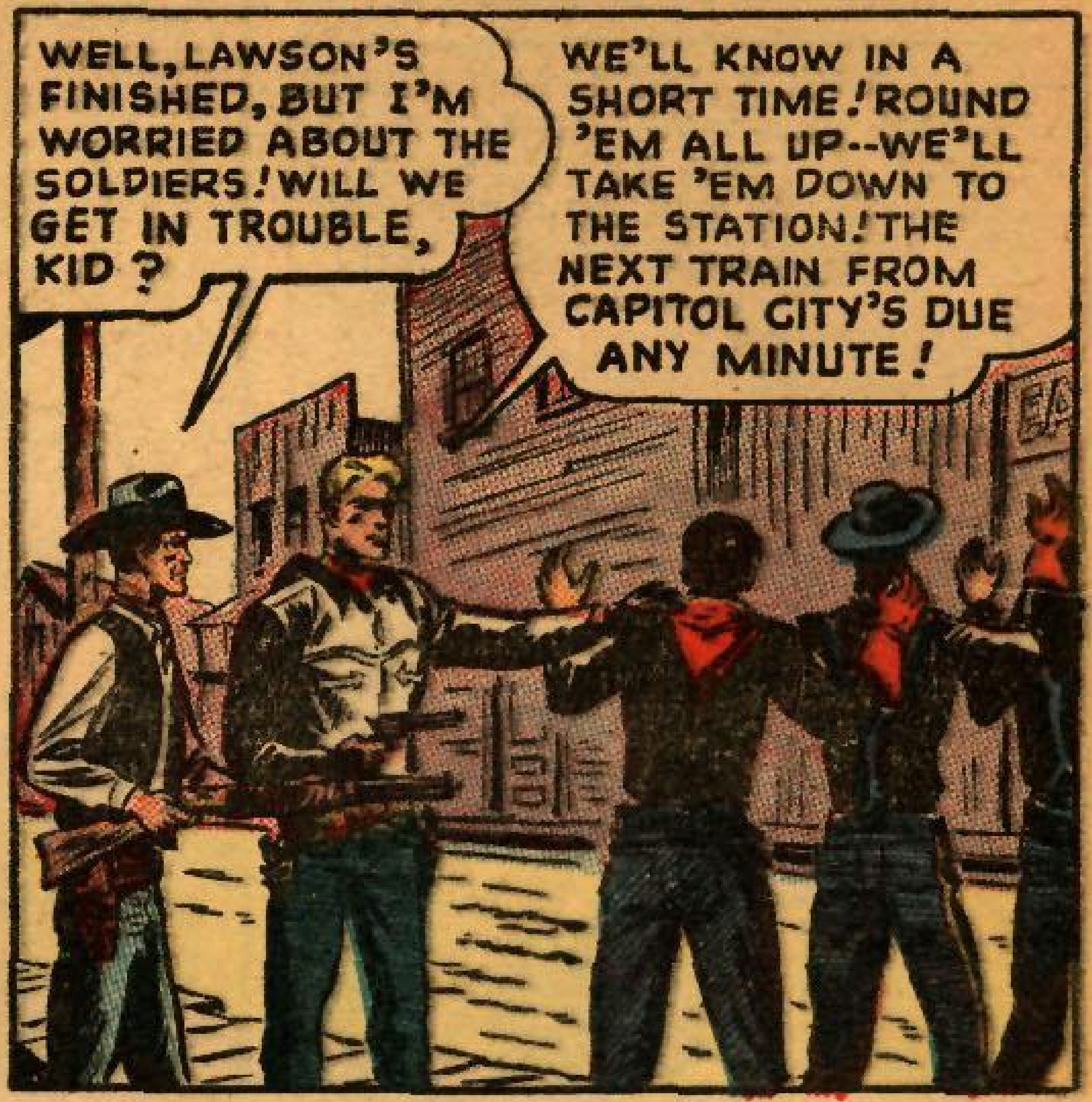
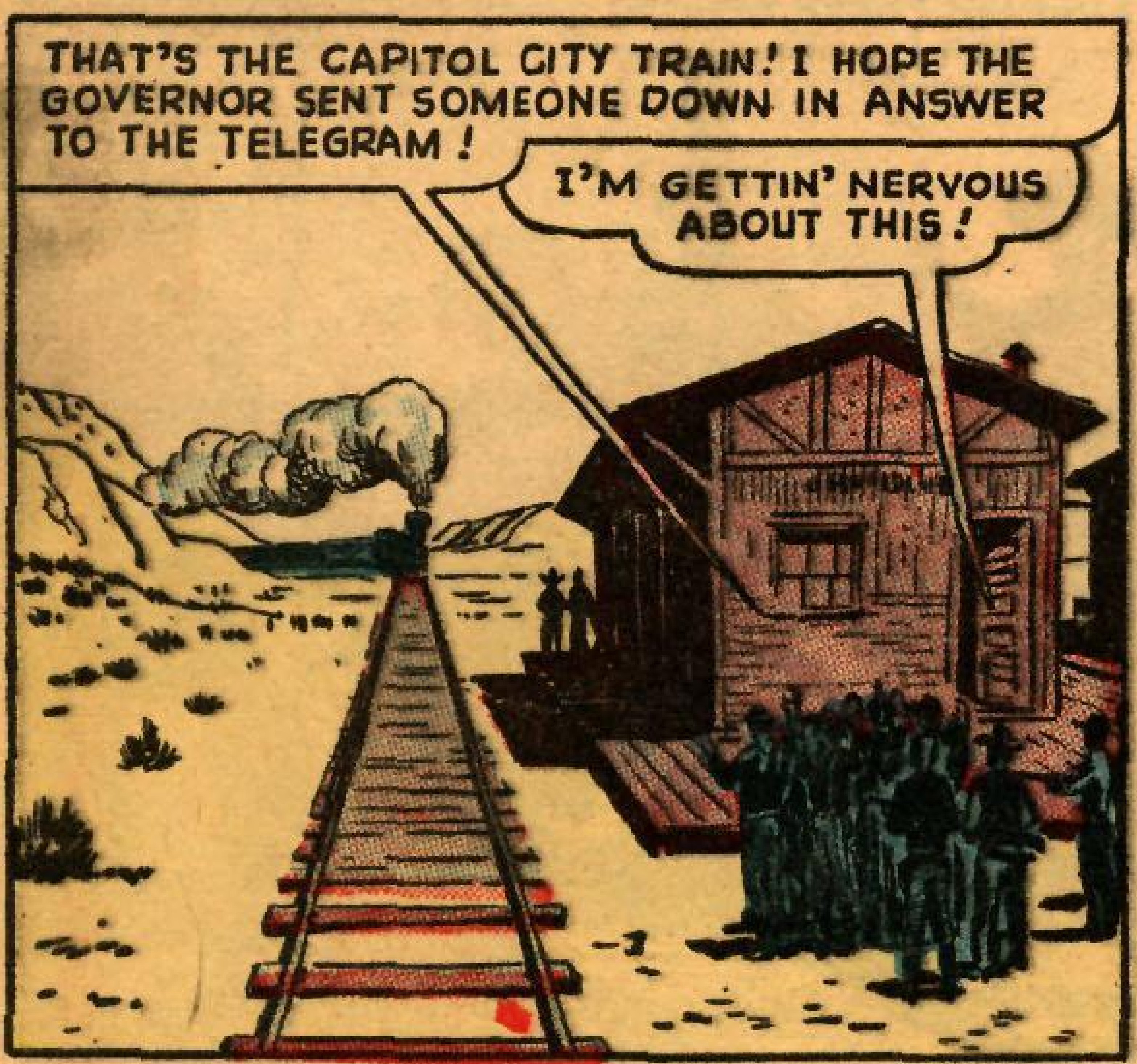
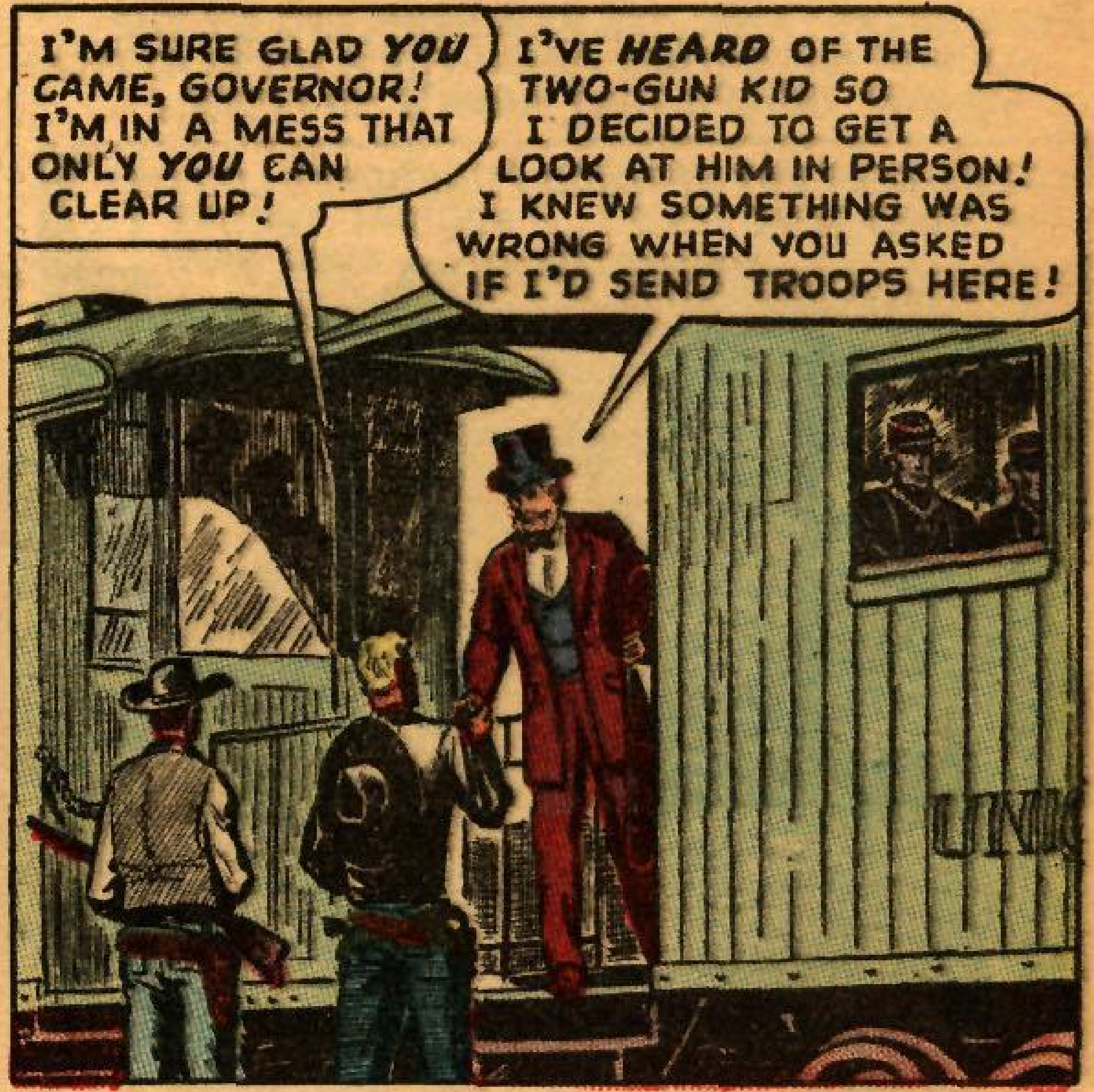

YOU'VE BEEN ASKIN' FOR...
GAME'S OVER, LAWSON!
WELLS FARGO EXPRESS

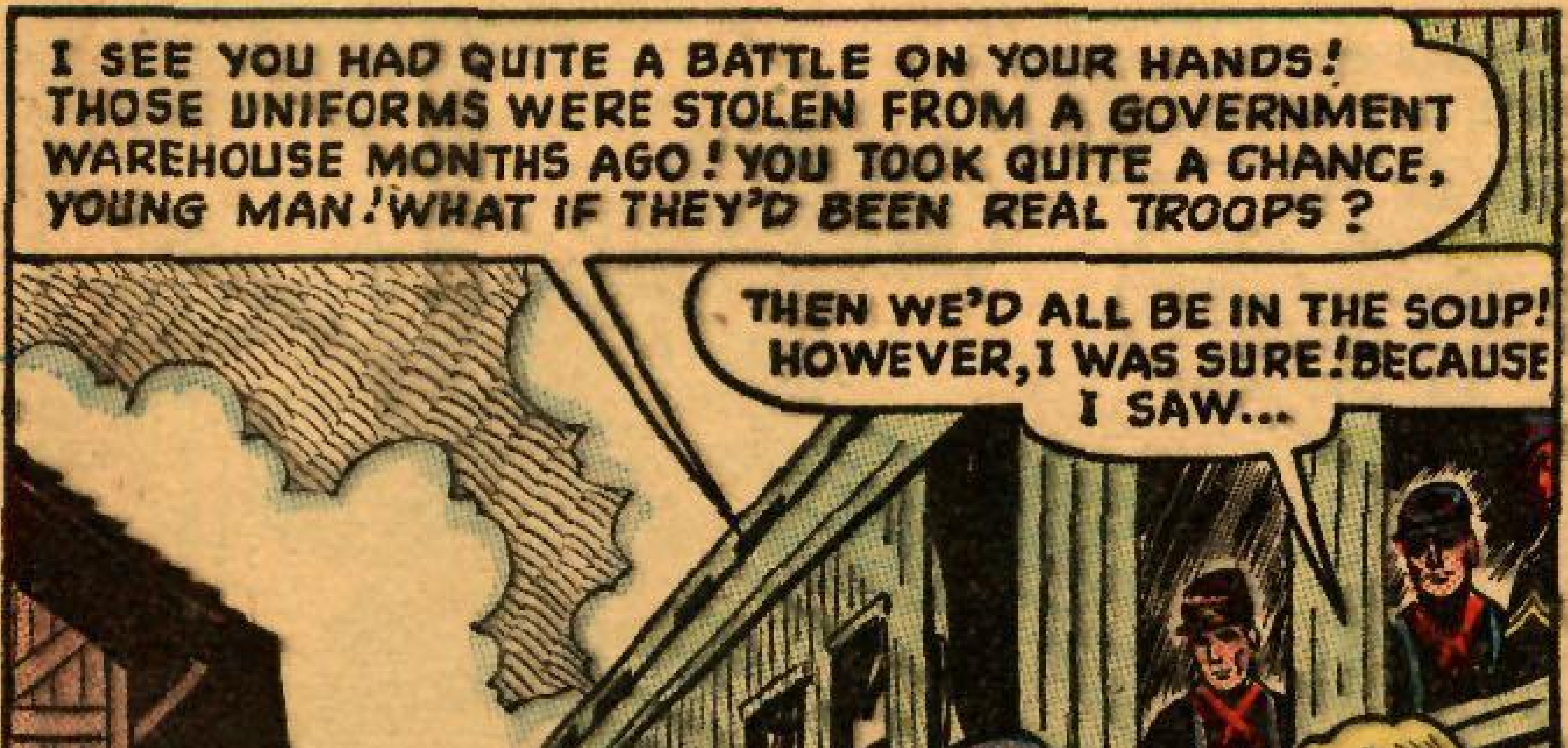
THE ENTIRE GANG SURRENDERS WITH LAWSON'S DEATH! MOPPING UP IS SWIFT AND EFFICIENT...

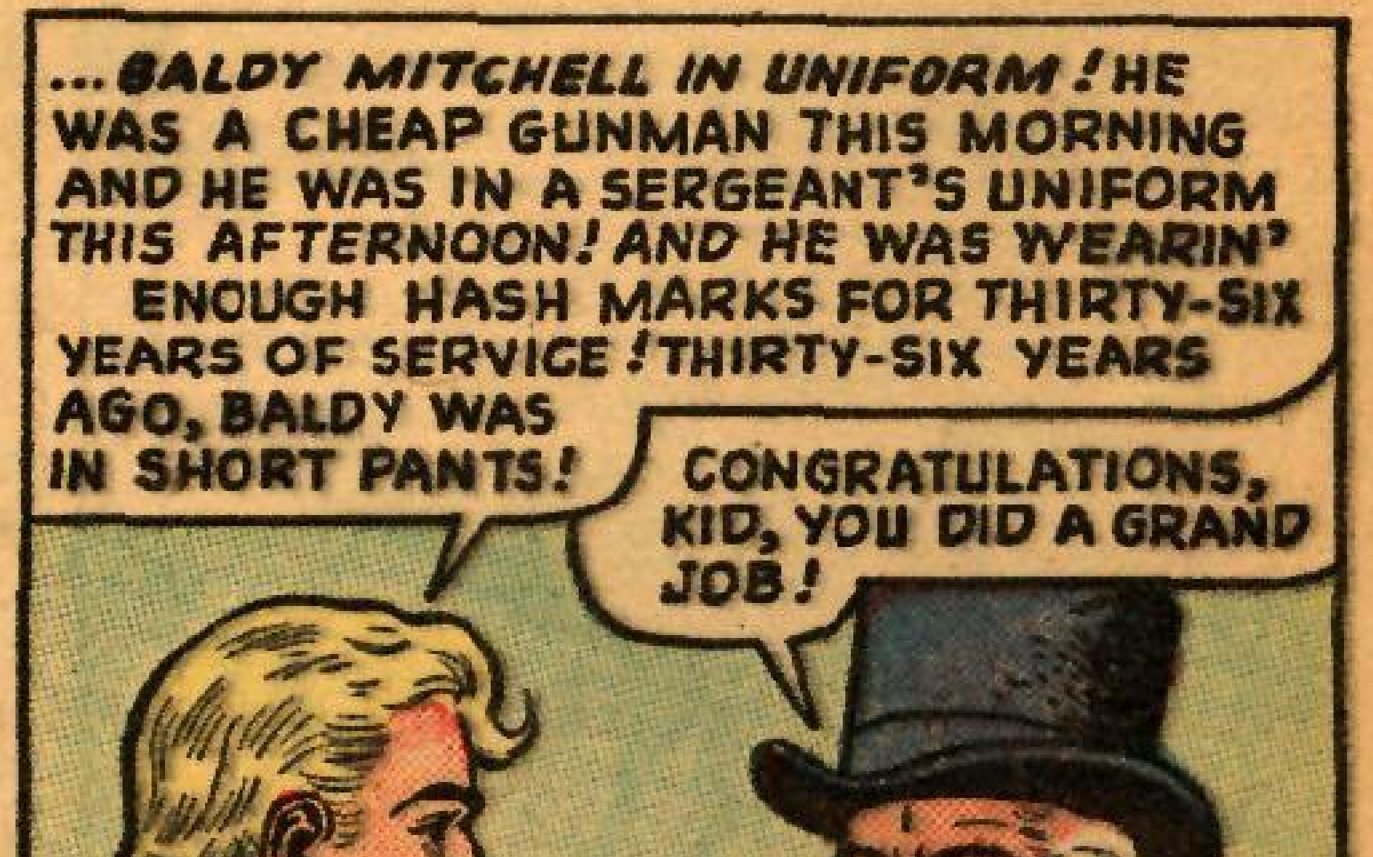

WELL, LAWSON'S FINISHED, BUT I'M WORRIED ABOUT THE SOLDIERS! WILL WE GET IN TROUBLE, KID?
WE'LL KNOW IN A SHORT TIME! ROUND 'EM ALL UP--WE'LL TAKE 'EM DOWN TO THE STATION! THE NEXT TRAIN FROM CAPITOL CITY'S DUE ANY MINUTE!

A FEW MINUTES LATER THE EVENING TRAIN THUNDERS INTO A CROWDED STATION!


THAT'S THE CAPITOL CITY TRAIN! I HOPE THE GOVERNOR SENT SOMEONE DOWN IN ANSWER TO THE TELEGRAM!
I'M GETTIN' NERVOUS ABOUT THIS!


I'M SURE GLAD YOU CAME, GOVERNOR! I'M IN A MESS THAT ONLY YOU CAN CLEAR UP!
I'VE HEARD OF THE TWO-GUN KID SO I DECIDED TO GET A LOOK AT HIM IN PERSON! I KNEW SOMETHING WAS WRONG WHEN YOU ASKED IF I'D SEND TROOPS HERE!


I SEE YOU HAD QUITE A BATTLE ON YOUR HANDS! THOSE UNIFORMS WERE STOLEN FROM A GOVERNMENT WAREHOUSE MONTHS AGO! YOU TOOK QUITE A CHANCE, YOUNG MAN! WHAT IF THEY'D BEEN REAL TROOPS?
THEN WE'D ALL BE IN THE SOUP! HOWEVER, I WAS SURE! BECAUSE I SAW...


...BALDY MITCHELL IN UNIFORM! HE WAS A CHEAP GUNMAN THIS MORNING AND HE WAS IN A SERGEANT'S UNIFORM THIS AFTERNOON! AND HE WAS WEARIN' ENOUGH HASH MARKS FOR THIRTY-SIX YEARS OF SERVICE! THIRTY-SIX YEARS AGO, BALDY WAS IN SHORT PANTS!
CONGRATULATIONS, KID, YOU DID A GRAND JOB!
THE END

"A Letter to Our Readers and Their Parents!"

IT IS OUR EARNEST HOPE THAT YOU ENJOY reading our magazines. You know, there are many different kinds of stories, and we get a different kind of satisfaction from each one. We like the stories of Robin Hood and the Iliad of Homer, because we can imagine ourselves heroes, overcoming the enemy. We like stories of great men in history, because they make us ambitious to do good, kind deeds. We like stories of mischievous boys like Tom Sawyer, because Tom does many of the things we would enjoy doing, but some of them we cannot do.

Some of you probably choose books with a lot of pictures, because the pictures seem to make the story live. That, to some extent, explains your interest in comics.

In our magazines, we try to give you good pictures and interesting stories. *We would like to feel, also, that we are helping you to take a stand in favor* of right and justice, develop respect for law and order, and learn to protect weaker people, just like the heroes in our adventure stories.

The grown-ups of this world owe you young people an apology, because we haven't made the world a very secure and peaceful place in which to live. Our comics portray, it is true, some of the unhappy things that happen in the world. But they are things you know about anyway—and in the stories, at least, the good people always win. All of us wish it were that way in real life as well.

Just as there are good and bad people, good and bad radio programs, good and bad movies, so there is good and bad literature. In order to help you always choose the good, we will continue to do our best to maintain a high standard in our own magazines.

Please remember that comics, with their many pictures, are just one type of literature. We also want you to grow familiar with the great books in our vast literary heritage, and we have no doubt that, with guidance from your parents, teachers, and town librarians, you *will* become interested in those classics, and learn to love them.

Meanwhile, don't forget, though you can get the thrill of humor and adventure in comic magazines—they should, nonetheless, be considered in two ways: Not only for the pleasure they give you, but also as a stepping-stone to your appreciation of books that have stood the test of time as reading fare for all people, young and old.

Incidentally, one of our recent editorials used the word "endorsement" in connection with Dr. Thompson's services to us as Editorial Consultant. In the *interest of further clarification of Dr. Thompson's functions*, we wish to state that Marvel Comic Group submits all its published magazines to Dr. Thompson for review, criticism, and report to our staff, which is under constant instruction to accept Dr. Thompson's criticisms, and to abide by the same. In this way, we constantly strive to bring better comic magazines to our vast group of readers.

MARVEL COMIC GROUP
THE EDITORS

THE SILVER LODE MYSTERY

RESTING on his suitcase at the base of a tailings dump, Phil Reese's first warning of danger was a stray fragment of ore that bounced down the slag pile and came to rest near his left shoe. Tired after the heavy climb from Tonopah valley far below, Phil only turned his head in a half-curious gesture; then he yelled and leaped frantically into a wild dash. He kept running until the heavy rumble that followed him faded to a few scattered sounds. Looking back he stared, face white, where his suitcase lay buried beneath two tons of jagged ore.

A man appeared at the top of the dump and peered cautiously over. He shouted at Phil. "Are you all right, boy? I heard you holler. Didn't know anybody was down there."

The man backed away and a minute later walked up to Phil. He seemed shaken, almost as badly as Phil. "That was close. Too close!" he said. "You might've been buried with your suitcase."

Phil forced a short laugh. "My lucky day, I guess. Nothing but work clothes in my bag. I'm looking for Mr. Caspar, the mine superintendent."

"You're talking to him," chuckled the other.

"Oh." Phil thrust out his hand. "I'm Phil Reese. I came up here to learn something about silver mining."

"Phil Reese?" Gus Caspar shook the proffered hand briefly. "Hmmm. Can't place you. Anyway, we don't need . . . say!" he broke off, his face brightening. "You're not Jordan Reese's nephew?"

Phil nodded. Caspar's welcome suddenly became effusive. After all, Jordan Reese owned the Sierra mine along with several others and Caspar was just as ambitious as the next one. He took Phil's arm and led him to his office.

"Don't worry about that suitcase," he told Phil warmly. "I'll have it dug out for you. About work, we'll start you in the morning. All right?"

"Fine!"

Caspar excused himself to return to the mine shaft. Before he went he said, "Look around. Anything you want to know, just ask. That's the idea isn't it, to learn the business from the ground up?" He laughed and Phil smiled with him. That was the idea all right; Old Jordan Reese had come up from pushing an ore car to head a mining empire and he felt his nephew should do the same.

Phil wandered around the camp, sizing it up. The workmen he encountered stared at him curiously; a few nodded, but they exchanged no comments. Climbing a stairway to an elevated ore track he found himself on top of the dump that held his buried suitcase. The view was magnificent, overlooking the entire valley. Phil could even see the tiny bus stop where he had got off, and the path up which he had labored earlier.

A bullet smacking viciously into a rock nearby abruptly interrupted his musings. From a distance came the crack of a high-power rifle. Phil dropped instinctively and rolled rapidly under the protection of an empty ore cart. A voice reached his ears.

"Danged fools! If they're gonna hunt outa season why don't they leastways be more keerful where they point their guns!"

The owner of the voice, a dried up wisp of a man, dropped beside Phil and spoke to him as if they had been friends for years.

"Dangedest mine I've ever seen. Ore carts dumpin' out here where nothin' but tailin's s'posed to go. City folks shootin' up the camp fer deer when there ain't none. Good silver ore drop-

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pin' from twenty to ten dollars a ton even though the vein's real good. It just don't make sense!"

"Are you a miner?" asked Phil.

The little ancient looked at him with surprise. "The best. Only I'm skeered to go down a shaft. Got caught in a cave-in once. Takes the ginger out'n a feller." He scrambled off with a wave of his hand.

"Queer duck," thought Phil, and dismissed him until later when the gang boss, Grips Mandes, said casually: "I saw old Benny bending your ear today. Don't pay any attention to him. He's a little . . ." he tapped his head. "Get it?"

"Uh-huh. Too bad."

Uneasy thoughts crowded Phil's mind that night. The two incidents, supposedly accidental, assumed sinister proportions as he reviewed Benny's conversation. It seemed that Phil's appearance at the Sierra mine had alarmed someone. Who, he couldn't guess. But the next morning he secured a bottle of fluid from the mine doctor; if there was going to be another "accident" he wanted to be ready.

He joined the miners on the elevator and they moved slowly down the shaft into the heart of the mountain. The air grew damp and chill and took on the mustiness of vegetation long dead. In the ghostly light of the miner's lamps every face became an evil and malevolent mask and Phil shivered. The elevator stopped and Grips Mandes nudged him. "You get off here with Windy and Nails. They know what to do."

They went along the bore, Phil trailing, noting with a frown the half-rotten timbers that kept the earth above from crushing down on them. Nails left them to turn into a side shaft. Windy went steadily ahead, stopping finally as the tunnel ended. "We're goin' to replace this shoring," he said, indicating the warped and sagging timbers. "Wait here. I've got to go get some stuff."

He left, a vague, bobbing shadow melting into the tunnel darkness. Phil leaned gingerly on a timber and it seemed to crack a little. As though that had been a signal his lamp flickered and died. This was it: the next attempt. But how? Obviously he had been issued a lamp nearly out of fuel, but now what was to happen? Phil could only wait. Five minutes, ten, twenty . . . an eternity. Time became lost and the tunnel became a tomb.

Someone was moving along the tunnel with great care. There came another sound, more menacing: the crack of a timber being forced out of place. It was to be a cave-in, planned to look accidental! Phil took the bottle of fluid from his pocket and threw its contents towards the sound. He heard a slight gasp, then he ran blindly, bruising himself against the timbers, seeking escape.

Somehow, he ran into Nails and they went to the surface together. Later, in the superintendent's office Phil told his story to Caspar and Grips Mendes. Grips shook his head.

"Imagination. It happens in the dark like that. I can account for my men all the time."

"It wasn't imagination," Phil replied slowly, "I can identify the man. You see, I threw a bottle of silver nitrate at him. It turns the skin black and doesn't wash off."

Grips' hand flew to a large blotch on the side of his neck. "So you've noticed it," Phil observed dryly. "You're in this too, Caspar. You dumped the ore at the tailings spillway; I knew that when you mentioned my suitcase even though you claimed you hadn't seen me!"

Caspar moved swiftly. A gun appeared in his hand. "Okay," he snapped. "So you got things all figured out. But I spotted you right away and I knew old Jordan had sent you up here to spy on me. All because we've been high-gradin' a little of his ore! But you won't get back to report it!"

"Oh yes he will!"

All eyes snapped to the window. Old Benny stood there, a huge rifle balanced on the sill. Caspar slowly dropped his gun. "Call the sheriff, son," Benny told Phil. "Your uncle Jordan, he always gave me a square deal and I aim to see he gets one back. Go on, git to the phone!"

"You bet!"

Phil lifted the receiver and while the operator rang for the sheriff he turned to Caspar. "You know, I really did come up here to learn mining. Even after I knew you were trying to get rid of me, I didn't know why. Funny, isn't it, how committing a crime makes a man so suspicious . . . oh, hello, sheriff?"

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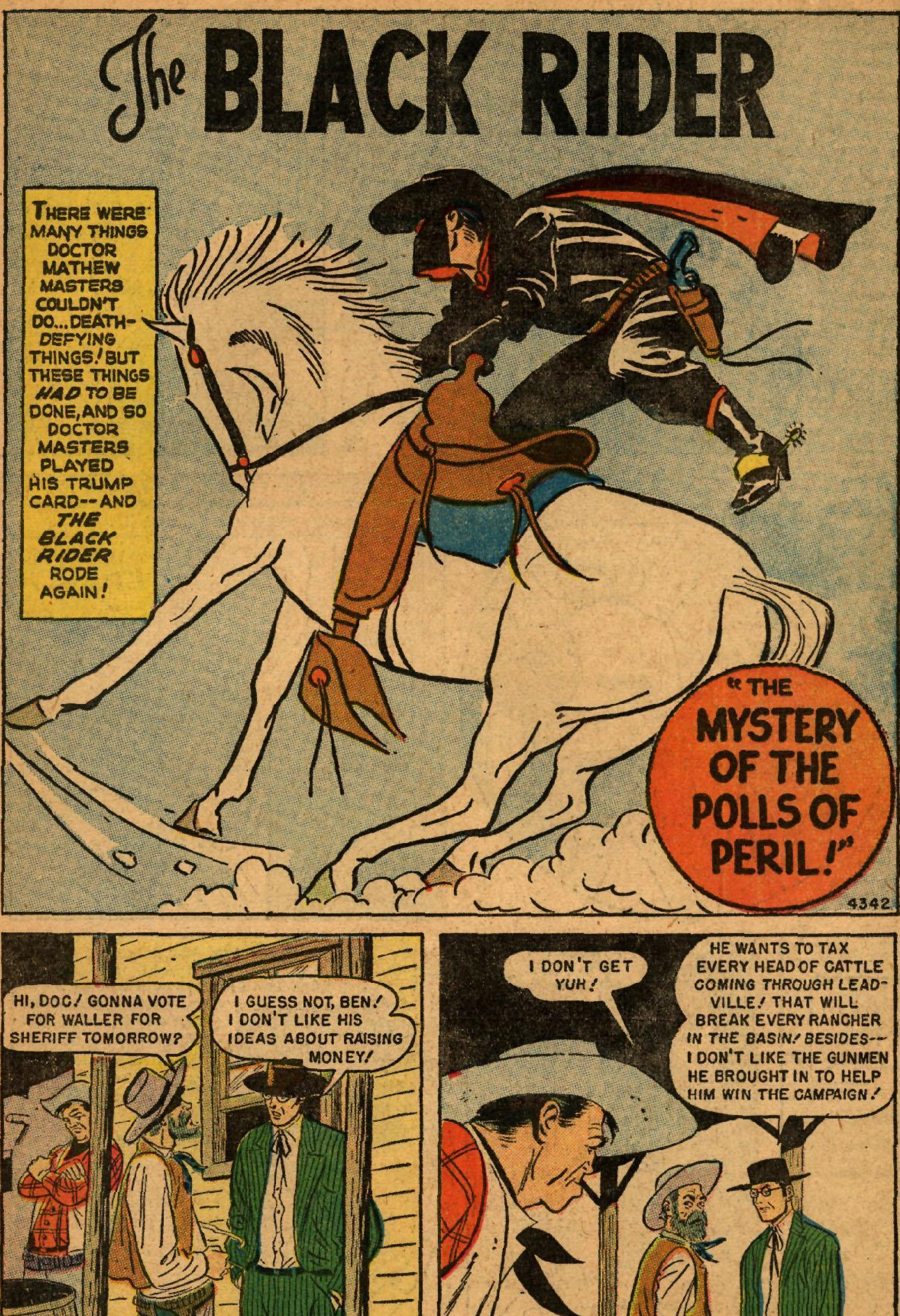
The BLACK RIDER
THERE WERE MANY THINGS DOCTOR MATHEW MASTERS COULDN'T DO... DEATH-DEFYING THINGS! BUT THESE THINGS *HAD* TO BE DONE, AND SO DOCTOR MASTERS PLAYED HIS TRUMP CARD-- AND *THE BLACK RIDER* RODE AGAIN!
"THE MYSTERY OF THE POLLS OF PERIL!"
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HI, DOC! GONNA VOTE FOR WALLER FOR SHERIFF TOMORROW?
I GUESS NOT, BEN! I DON'T LIKE HIS IDEAS ABOUT RAISING MONEY!
I DON'T GET YUH!
HE WANTS TO TAX EVERY HEAD OF CATTLE COMING THROUGH LEADVILLE! THAT WILL BREAK EVERY RANCHER IN THE BASIN! BESIDES-- I DON'T LIKE THE GUNMEN HE BROUGHT IN TO HELP HIM WIN THE CAMPAIGN!
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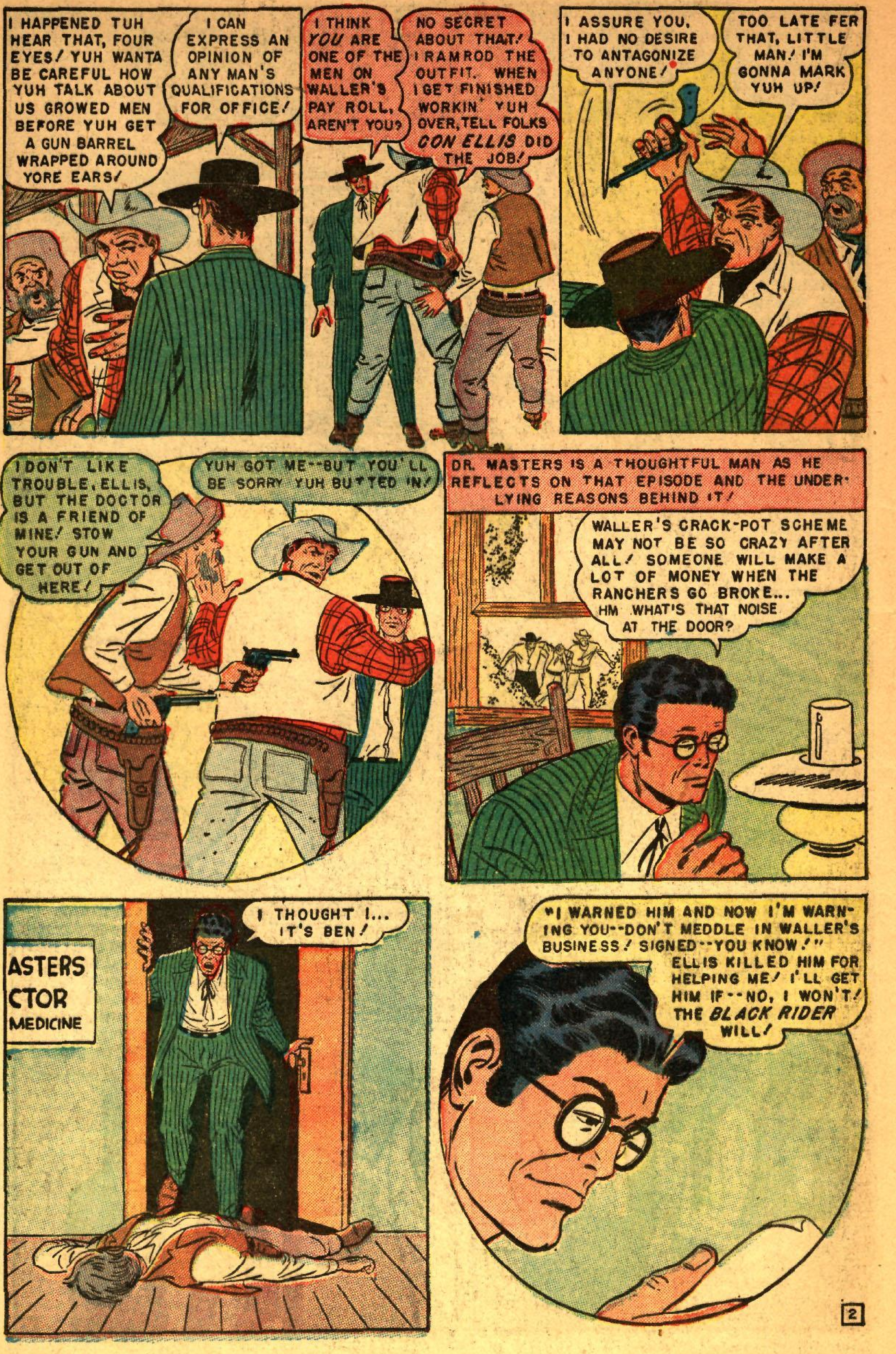
I HAPPENED TUH HEAR THAT, FOUR EYES! YUH WANTA BE CAREFUL HOW YUH TALK ABOUT US GROWED MEN BEFORE YUH GET A GUN BARREL WRAPPED AROUND YORE EARS!
I CAN EXPRESS AN OPINION OF ANY MAN'S QUALIFICATIONS FOR OFFICE!
I THINK YOU ARE ONE OF THE MEN ON WALLER'S PAY ROLL, AREN'T YOU?
NO SECRET ABOUT THAT! I RAMROD THE OUTFIT. WHEN I GET FINISHED WORKIN' YUH OVER, TELL FOLKS CON ELLIS DID THE JOB!
I ASSURE YOU, I HAD NO DESIRE TO ANTAGONIZE ANYONE!
TOO LATE FER THAT, LITTLE MAN! I'M GONNA MARK YUH UP!
I DON'T LIKE TROUBLE, ELLIS, BUT THE DOCTOR IS A FRIEND OF MINE! STOW YOUR GUN AND GET OUT OF HERE!
YUH GOT ME--BUT YOU'LL BE SORRY YUH BUTTED IN!
DR. MASTERS IS A THOUGHTFUL MAN AS HE REFLECTS ON THAT EPISODE AND THE UNDERLYING REASONS BEHIND IT!
WALLER'S CRACK-POT SCHEME MAY NOT BE SO CRAZY AFTER ALL! SOMEONE WILL MAKE A LOT OF MONEY WHEN THE RANCHERS GO BROKE... HM WHAT'S THAT NOISE AT THE DOOR?
I THOUGHT I... IT'S BEN!
ASTERS
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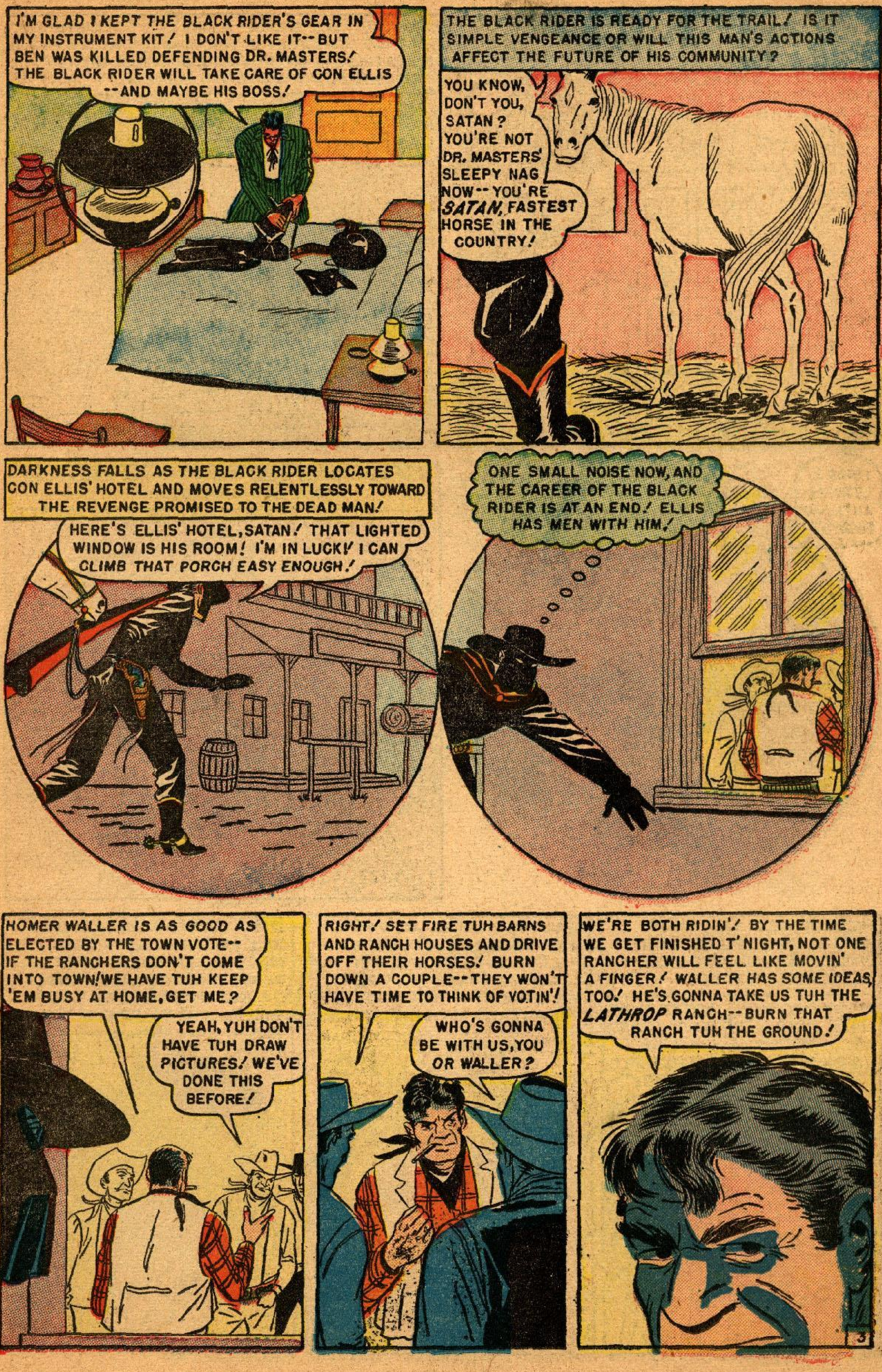
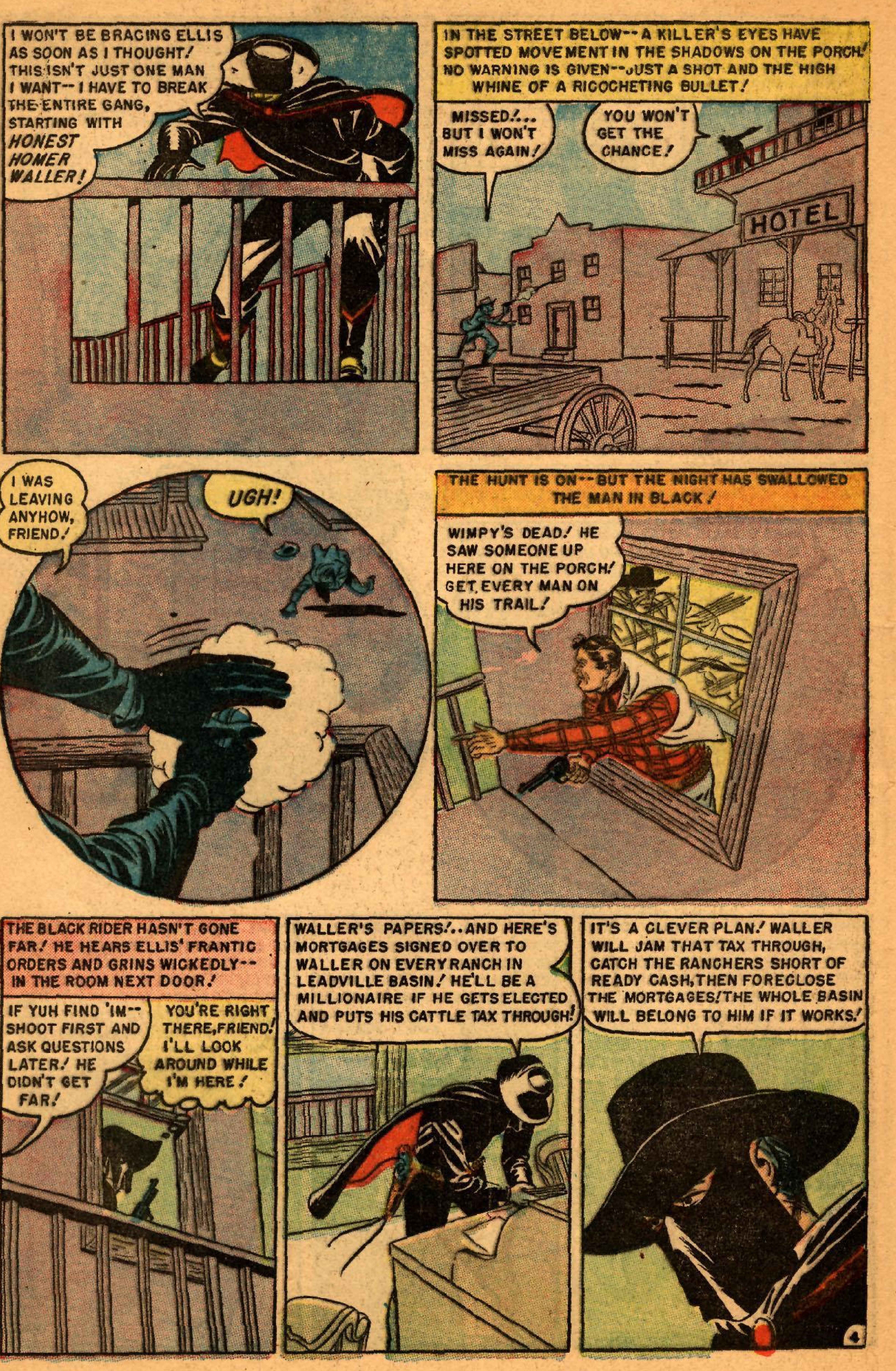
MEDICINE
"I WARNED HIM AND NOW I'M WARNING YOU--DON'T MEDDLE IN WALLER'S BUSINESS! SIGNED--YOU KNOW!" ELLIS KILLED HIM FOR HELPING ME! I'LL GET HIM IF--NO, I WON'T! THE BLACK RIDER WILL!


I'M GLAD I KEPT THE BLACK RIDER'S GEAR IN MY INSTRUMENT KIT! I DON'T LIKE IT--BUT BEN WAS KILLED DEFENDING DR. MASTERS! THE BLACK RIDER WILL TAKE CARE OF CON ELLIS --AND MAYBE HIS BOSS!
THE BLACK RIDER IS READY FOR THE TRAIL! IS IT SIMPLE VENGEANCE OR WILL THIS MAN'S ACTIONS AFFECT THE FUTURE OF HIS COMMUNITY?
YOU KNOW, DON'T YOU, SATAN? YOU'RE NOT DR. MASTERS' SLEEPY NAG NOW--YOU'RE SATAN, FASTEST HORSE IN THE COUNTRY!
DARKNESS FALLS AS THE BLACK RIDER LOCATES CON ELLIS' HOTEL AND MOVES RELENTLESSLY TOWARD THE REVENGE PROMISED TO THE DEAD MAN!
HERE'S ELLIS' HOTEL, SATAN! THAT LIGHTED WINDOW IS HIS ROOM! I'M IN LUCK! I CAN CLIMB THAT PORCH EASY ENOUGH!
ONE SMALL NOISE NOW, AND THE CAREER OF THE BLACK RIDER IS AT AN END! ELLIS HAS MEN WITH HIM!
HOMER WALLER IS AS GOOD AS ELECTED BY THE TOWN VOTE--IF THE RANCHERS DON'T COME INTO TOWN! WE HAVE TUH KEEP 'EM BUSY AT HOME, GET ME?
YEAH, YUH DON'T HAVE TUH DRAW PICTURES! WE'VE DONE THIS BEFORE!
RIGHT! SET FIRE TUH BARNS AND RANCH HOUSES AND DRIVE OFF THEIR HORSES! BURN DOWN A COUPLE--THEY WON'T HAVE TIME TO THINK OF VOTIN'!
WHO'S GONNA BE WITH US, YOU OR WALLER?
WE'RE BOTH RIDIN'! BY THE TIME WE GET FINISHED T'NIGHT, NOT ONE RANCHER WILL FEEL LIKE MOVIN' A FINGER! WALLER HAS SOME IDEAS, TOO! HE'S GONNA TAKE US TUH THE LATHROP RANCH--BURN THAT RANCH TUH THE GROUND!


I WON'T BE BRACING ELLIS AS SOON AS I THOUGHT! THIS ISN'T JUST ONE MAN I WANT-- I HAVE TO BREAK THE ENTIRE GANG, STARTING WITH *HONEST HOMER WALLER!*
IN THE STREET BELOW-- A KILLER'S EYES HAVE SPOTTED MOVEMENT IN THE SHADOWS ON THE PORCH! NO WARNING IS GIVEN--JUST A SHOT AND THE HIGH WHINE OF A RICOCHETING BULLET!
MISSED!... BUT I WON'T MISS AGAIN!
YOU WON'T GET THE CHANCE!
HOTEL
I WAS LEAVING ANYHOW, FRIEND!
UGH!
THE HUNT IS ON--BUT THE NIGHT HAS SWALLOWED THE MAN IN BLACK!
WIMPY'S DEAD! HE SAW SOMEONE UP HERE ON THE PORCH! GET EVERY MAN ON HIS TRAIL!
THE BLACK RIDER HASN'T GONE FAR! HE HEARS ELLIS' FRANTIC ORDERS AND GRINS WICKEDLY-- IN THE ROOM NEXT DOOR!
IF YUH FIND 'IM-- SHOOT FIRST AND ASK QUESTIONS LATER! HE DIDN'T GET FAR!
YOU'RE RIGHT THERE, FRIEND! I'LL LOOK AROUND WHILE I'M HERE!
WALLER'S PAPERS!..AND HERE'S MORTGAGES SIGNED OVER TO WALLER ON EVERY RANCH IN LEADVILLE BASIN! HE'LL BE A MILLIONAIRE IF HE GETS ELECTED AND PUTS HIS CATTLE TAX THROUGH!
IT'S A CLEVER PLAN! WALLER WILL JAM THAT TAX THROUGH, CATCH THE RANCHERS SHORT OF READY CASH, THEN FORECLOSE THE MORTGAGES! THE WHOLE BASIN WILL BELONG TO HIM IF IT WORKS!
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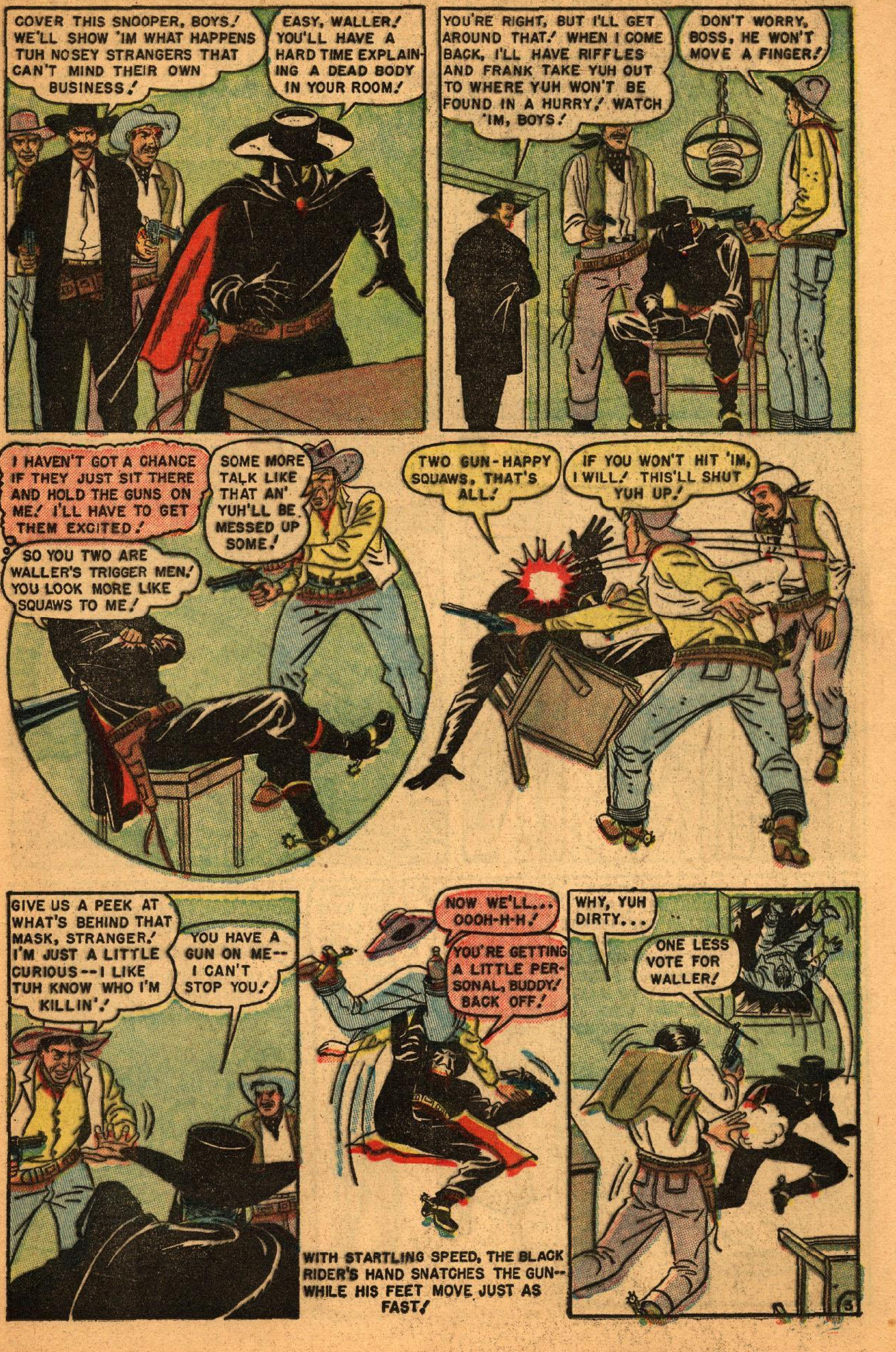
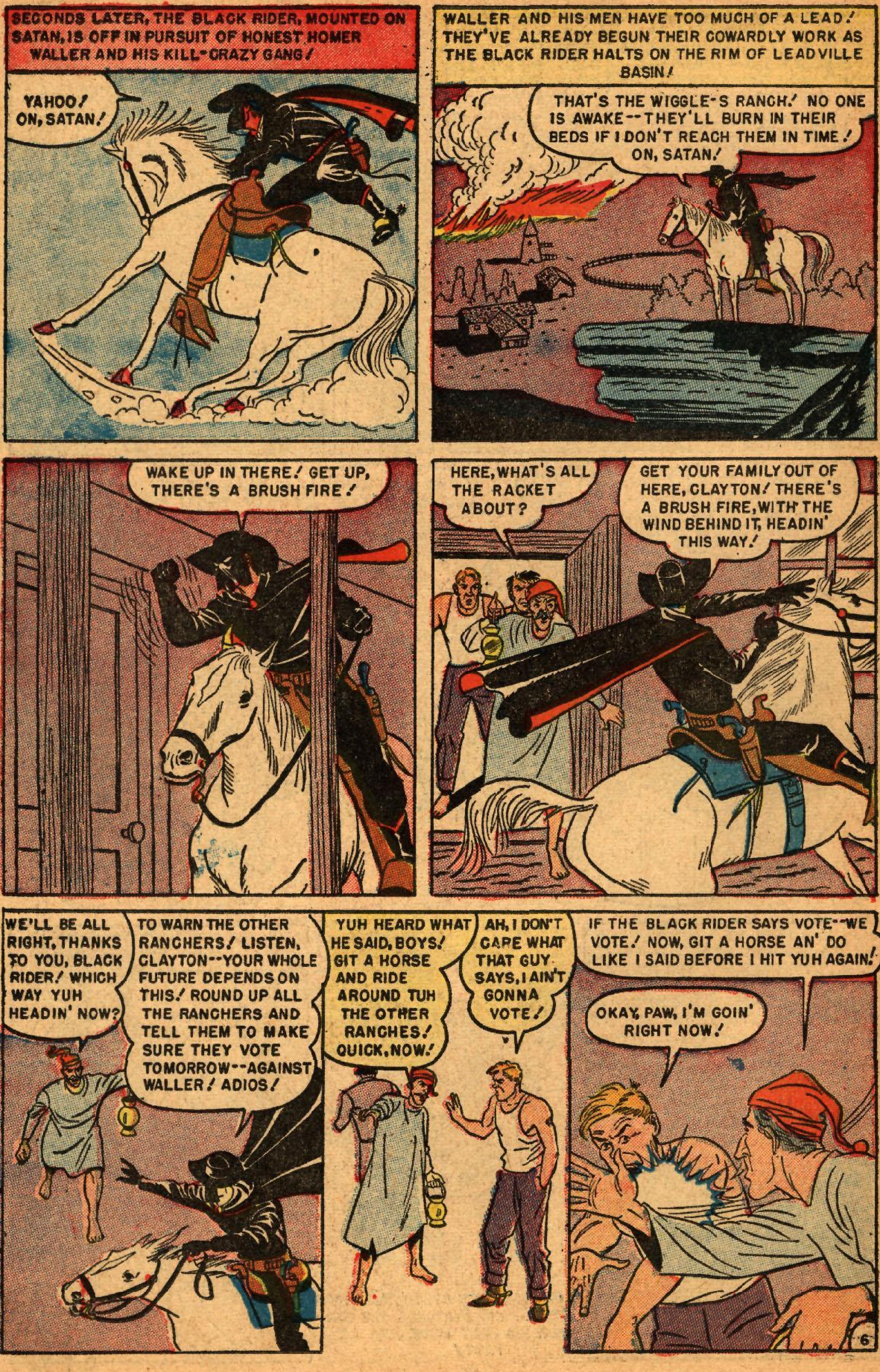
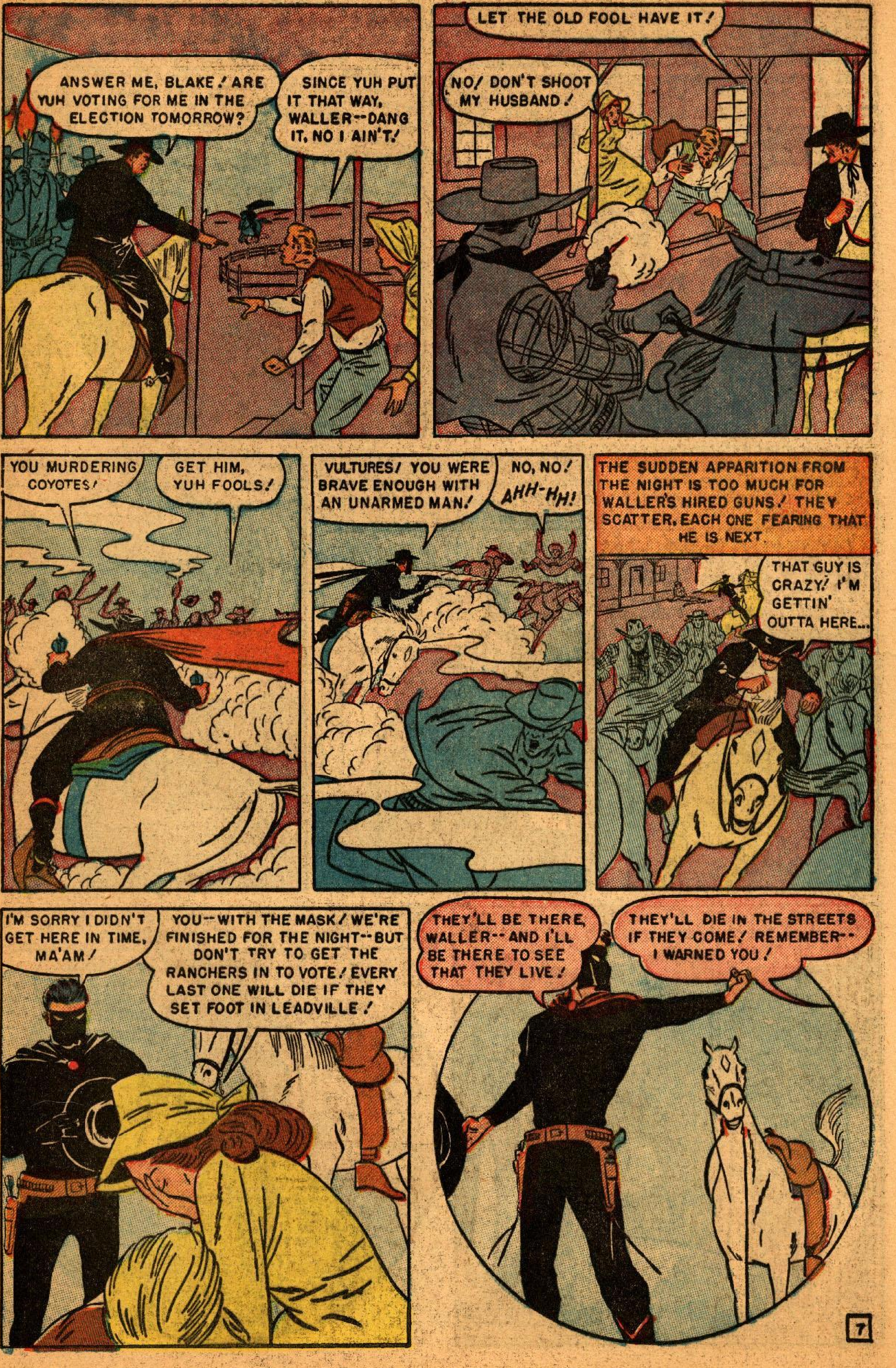
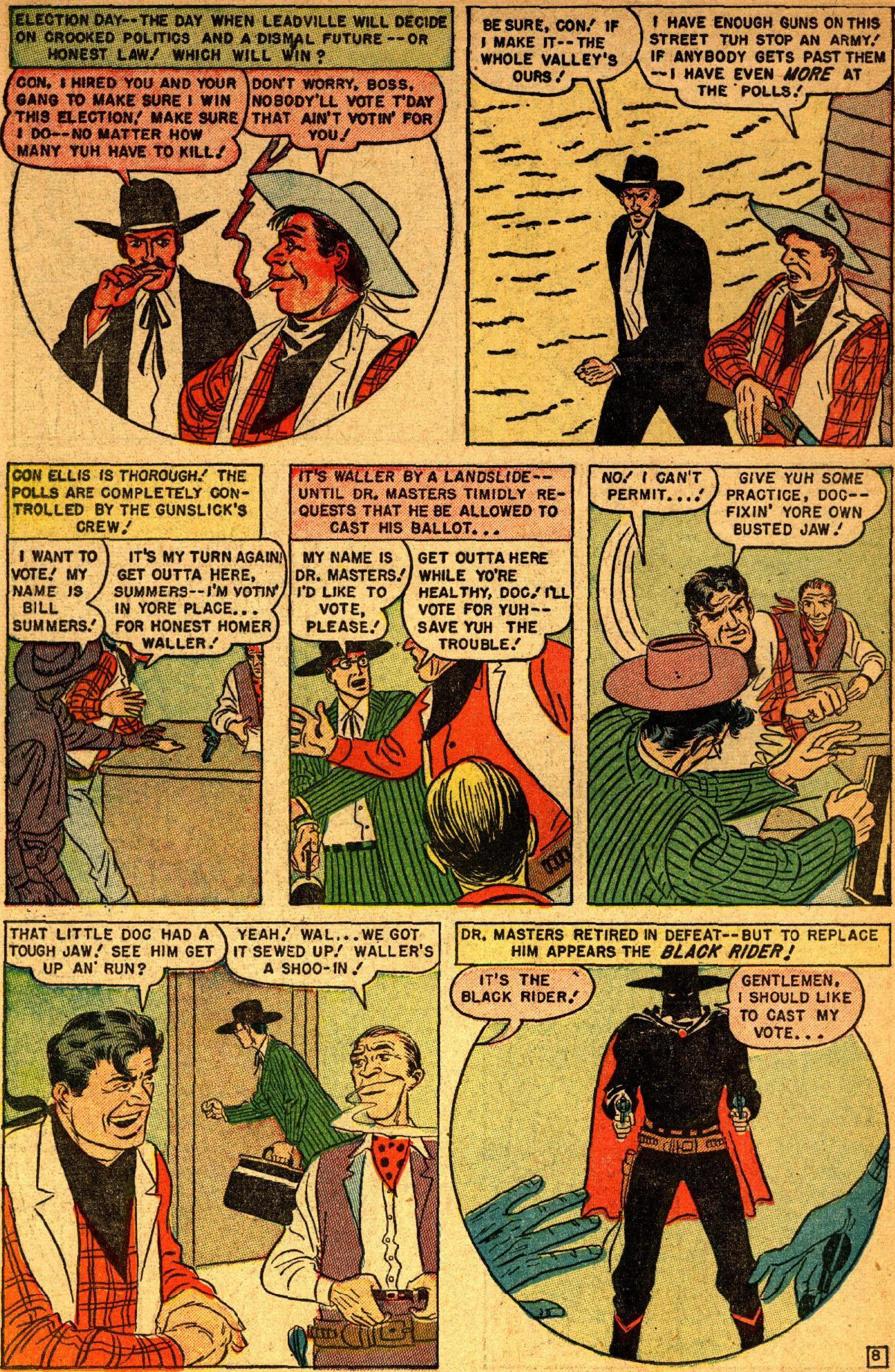

COVER THIS SNOOPER, BOYS! WE'LL SHOW 'IM WHAT HAPPENS TUH NOSEY STRANGERS THAT CAN'T MIND THEIR OWN BUSINESS!
EASY, WALLER! YOU'LL HAVE A HARD TIME EXPLAINING A DEAD BODY IN YOUR ROOM!
YOU'RE RIGHT, BUT I'LL GET AROUND THAT! WHEN I COME BACK, I'LL HAVE RIFFLES AND FRANK TAKE YUH OUT TO WHERE YUH WON'T BE FOUND IN A HURRY! WATCH 'IM, BOYS!
DON'T WORRY, BOSS, HE WON'T MOVE A FINGER!
I HAVEN'T GOT A CHANCE IF THEY JUST SIT THERE AND HOLD THE GUNS ON ME! I'LL HAVE TO GET THEM EXCITED!
SO YOU TWO ARE WALLER'S TRIGGER MEN! YOU LOOK MORE LIKE SQUAWS TO ME!
SOME MORE TALK LIKE THAT AN' YUH'LL BE MESSED UP SOME!
TWO GUN-HAPPY SQUAWS, THAT'S ALL!
IF YOU WON'T HIT 'IM, I WILL! THIS'LL SHUT YUH UP!
GIVE US A PEEK AT WHAT'S BEHIND THAT MASK, STRANGER! I'M JUST A LITTLE CURIOUS--I LIKE TUH KNOW WHO I'M KILLIN'!
YOU HAVE A GUN ON ME--I CAN'T STOP YOU!
NOW WE'LL... OOOH-H-H!
YOU'RE GETTING A LITTLE PERSONAL, BUDDY! BACK OFF!
WITH STARTLING SPEED, THE BLACK RIDER'S HAND SNATCHES THE GUN--WHILE HIS FEET MOVE JUST AS FAST!
WHY, YUH DIRTY...
ONE LESS VOTE FOR WALLER!


SECONDS LATER, THE BLACK RIDER, MOUNTED ON SATAN, IS OFF IN PURSUIT OF HONEST HOMER WALLER AND HIS KILL-CRAZY GANG!
YAHOO! ON, SATAN!
WALLER AND HIS MEN HAVE TOO MUCH OF A LEAD! THEY'VE ALREADY BEGUN THEIR COWARDLY WORK AS THE BLACK RIDER HALTS ON THE RIM OF LEADVILLE BASIN!
THAT'S THE WIGGLE-S RANCH! NO ONE IS AWAKE--THEY'LL BURN IN THEIR BEDS IF I DON'T REACH THEM IN TIME! ON, SATAN!
WAKE UP IN THERE! GET UP, THERE'S A BRUSH FIRE!
HERE, WHAT'S ALL THE RACKET ABOUT?
GET YOUR FAMILY OUT OF HERE, CLAYTON! THERE'S A BRUSH FIRE, WITH THE WIND BEHIND IT, HEADIN' THIS WAY!
WE'LL BE ALL RIGHT, THANKS TO YOU, BLACK RIDER! WHICH WAY YUH HEADIN' NOW?
TO WARN THE OTHER RANCHERS! LISTEN, CLAYTON--YOUR WHOLE FUTURE DEPENDS ON THIS! ROUND UP ALL THE RANCHERS AND TELL THEM TO MAKE SURE THEY VOTE TOMORROW--AGAINST WALLER! ADIOS!
YUH HEARD WHAT HE SAID, BOYS! GIT A HORSE AND RIDE AROUND TUH THE OTHER RANCHES! QUICK, NOW!
AH, I DON'T CARE WHAT THAT GUY SAYS, I AIN'T GONNA VOTE!
IF THE BLACK RIDER SAYS VOTE--WE VOTE! NOW, GIT A HORSE AN' DO LIKE I SAID BEFORE I HIT YUH AGAIN!
OKAY, PAW, I'M GOIN' RIGHT NOW!


ANSWER ME, BLAKE! ARE YUH VOTING FOR ME IN THE ELECTION TOMORROW?
SINCE YUH PUT IT THAT WAY, WALLER--DANG IT, NO I AIN'T!
LET THE OLD FOOL HAVE IT!
NO! DON'T SHOOT MY HUSBAND!
YOU MURDERING COYOTES!
GET HIM, YUH FOOLS!
VULTURES! YOU WERE BRAVE ENOUGH WITH AN UNARMED MAN!
NO, NO!
AHH-HH!
THE SUDDEN APPARITION FROM THE NIGHT IS TOO MUCH FOR WALLER'S HIRED GUNS! THEY SCATTER, EACH ONE FEARING THAT HE IS NEXT.
THAT GUY IS CRAZY! I'M GETTIN' OUTTA HERE...
I'M SORRY I DIDN'T GET HERE IN TIME, MA'AM!
YOU--WITH THE MASK! WE'RE FINISHED FOR THE NIGHT--BUT DON'T TRY TO GET THE RANCHERS IN TO VOTE! EVERY LAST ONE WILL DIE IF THEY SET FOOT IN LEADVILLE!
THEY'LL BE THERE, WALLER--AND I'LL BE THERE TO SEE THAT THEY LIVE!
THEY'LL DIE IN THE STREETS IF THEY COME! REMEMBER--I WARNED YOU!


ELECTION DAY--THE DAY WHEN LEADVILLE WILL DECIDE ON CROOKED POLITICS AND A DISMAL FUTURE--OR HONEST LAW! WHICH WILL WIN?
CON, I HIRED YOU AND YOUR GANG TO MAKE SURE I WIN THIS ELECTION! MAKE SURE I DO--NO MATTER HOW MANY YUH HAVE TO KILL!
DON'T WORRY, BOSS, NOBODY'LL VOTE T'DAY THAT AIN'T VOTIN' FOR YOU!
BE SURE, CON! IF I MAKE IT--THE WHOLE VALLEY'S OURS!
I HAVE ENOUGH GUNS ON THIS STREET TUH STOP AN ARMY! IF ANYBODY GETS PAST THEM--I HAVE EVEN *MORE* AT THE POLLS!
CON ELLIS IS *THOROUGH!* THE POLLS ARE COMPLETELY CONTROLLED BY THE GUNSLICK'S CREW!
I WANT TO VOTE! MY NAME IS BILL SUMMERS!
IT'S MY TURN AGAIN! GET OUTTA HERE, SUMMERS--I'M VOTIN' IN YORE PLACE... FOR HONEST HOMER WALLER!
IT'S WALLER BY A *LANDSLIDE*--UNTIL DR. MASTERS TIMIDLY REQUESTS THAT HE BE ALLOWED TO CAST HIS BALLOT...
MY NAME IS DR. MASTERS! I'D LIKE TO VOTE, PLEASE!
GET OUTTA HERE WHILE YO'RE HEALTHY, DOC! I'LL VOTE FOR YUH--SAVE YUH THE TROUBLE!
NO! I CAN'T PERMIT...!
GIVE YUH SOME PRACTICE, DOC--FIXIN' YORE OWN BUSTED JAW!
THAT LITTLE DOC HAD A TOUGH JAW! SEE HIM GET UP AN' RUN?
YEAH! WAL...WE GOT IT SEWED UP! WALLER'S A SHOO-IN!
DR. MASTERS RETIRED IN DEFEAT--BUT TO REPLACE HIM APPEARS THE *BLACK RIDER!*
IT'S THE BLACK RIDER!
GENTLEMEN, I SHOULD LIKE TO CAST MY VOTE...

IT'S THE GUY THAT SPOILED THE RAID LAST NIGHT! GET HIM!
MY FIRST VOTE IS AGAINST MURDERING GUN-SLICKS!
MY SECOND AND THIRD-- AGAINST CROOKED LAWMEN!
AAANGH!
I'M FOGGIN' OUTTA HERE!
...AND YOU, MY FRIEND, HAVE THE LAST!
WALLER'S DESPERATE CLUTCH AT THE VOTING POLLS BROKEN--HONEST MEN TAKE OVER! THE BLACK RIDER GOES ON...
ONCE I GET WALLER, THE OTHER RATS WILL DESERT THE SHIP! THERE HE IS ACROSS THE STREET...
YOUR BOSS IS TOO YELLOW TO TRY IT HIMSELF, EH, CON?
THIS AIN'T HIS STYLE, THAT'S A FACT! WE'RE COMIN' TUH GET YUH!
IT'S ONLY ONE MAN-- DOWN 'IM!
THAT'S EASIER SAID THAN DONE, ELLIS!
WE HAVE 'IM ON THE RUN!
I COULD SURE USE A LITTLE HELP! NO ONE IN THIS TOWN WANTS TO BUCK WALLER AND HIS CREW! IF I COULD ONLY GET A SHOT AT WALLER!

THERE'S PLENTY THAT WILL CELEBRATE IF THEY GET ME! ... AND THEY WILL, AT THE RATE THEY'RE GOING!
IF THEY CATCH ME WITH EMPTY GUNS--IT'S *CURTAINS!*
THE THUNDER OF RACING HOOFS ANNOUNCES THE ARRIVAL OF ALLIES--THE RANCHERS, HEADED BY JIM LATHROP AND HIS DAUGHTER, MARIE!
YOU'RE THE FIEND THAT KILLED MY TIM! HE'LL REST IN PEACE NOW!
THERE'S THE BLACK RIDER, DAD!
YOU--YOU'RE THE ONE THAT SPOILED EVERYTHING! NOW YOU'LL... (COUGH!)... GOT... ME!
GOOD-BY, WALLER! THIS IS JUDGMENT DAY!
THE *BLACK RIDER* SAVED OUR HIDES THAT TIME! WE HAVE TO THANK HIM! WHERE'D HE GO, MARIE?
I-I DON'T KNOW! HE WAS THERE A MOMENT AGO--THEN HE DISAPPEARED!
THE *BLACK RIDER* IS GONE--BUT DR. MASTERS IS WITH US AGAIN!
I SUPPOSE *YOU* KNOW WHERE THE BLACK RIDER DISAPPEARED TO!
I SAW HIM... HE ASKED ME TO GIVE YOU THIS NOTE, MARIE!
IT'S STRANGE! DR. MASTERS LOVES MARIE LATHROP--SHE LOVES THE BLACK RIDER AND DESPISES THE LITTLE DOCTOR!
HE WANTS TO MEET ME TONIGHT ON DR. MASTER'S PORCH!
WHAT ARE YOU GRINNING ABOUT? IT DOESN'T CONCERN *YOU!*
I JUST LIKE TO SEE *YOU* HAPPY, MARIE! ANYTHING THAT GIVES YOU PLEASURE PLEASES ME, TOO!
THE BLACK RIDER RETURNS-TONIGHT!
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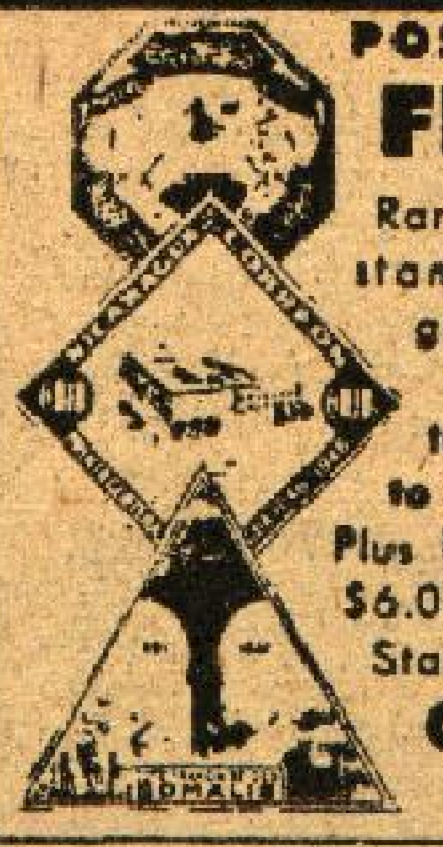

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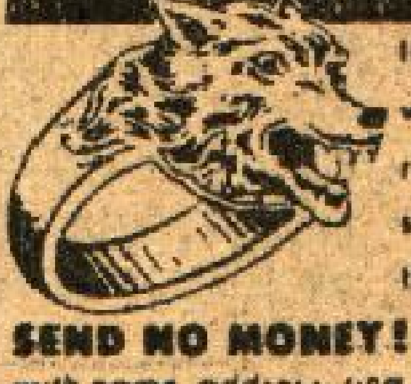

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"DEAD MAN'S JUSTICE!"

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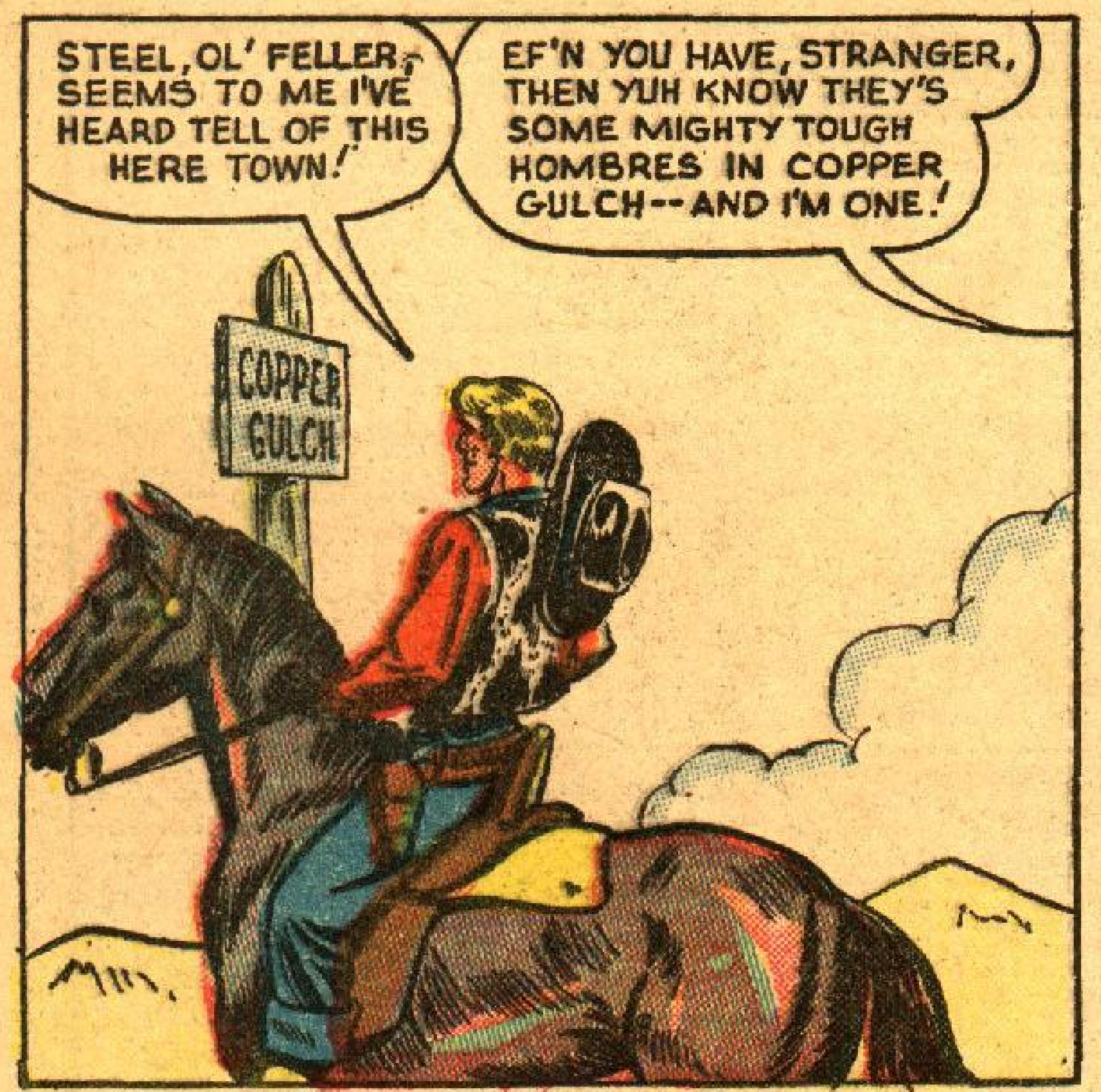
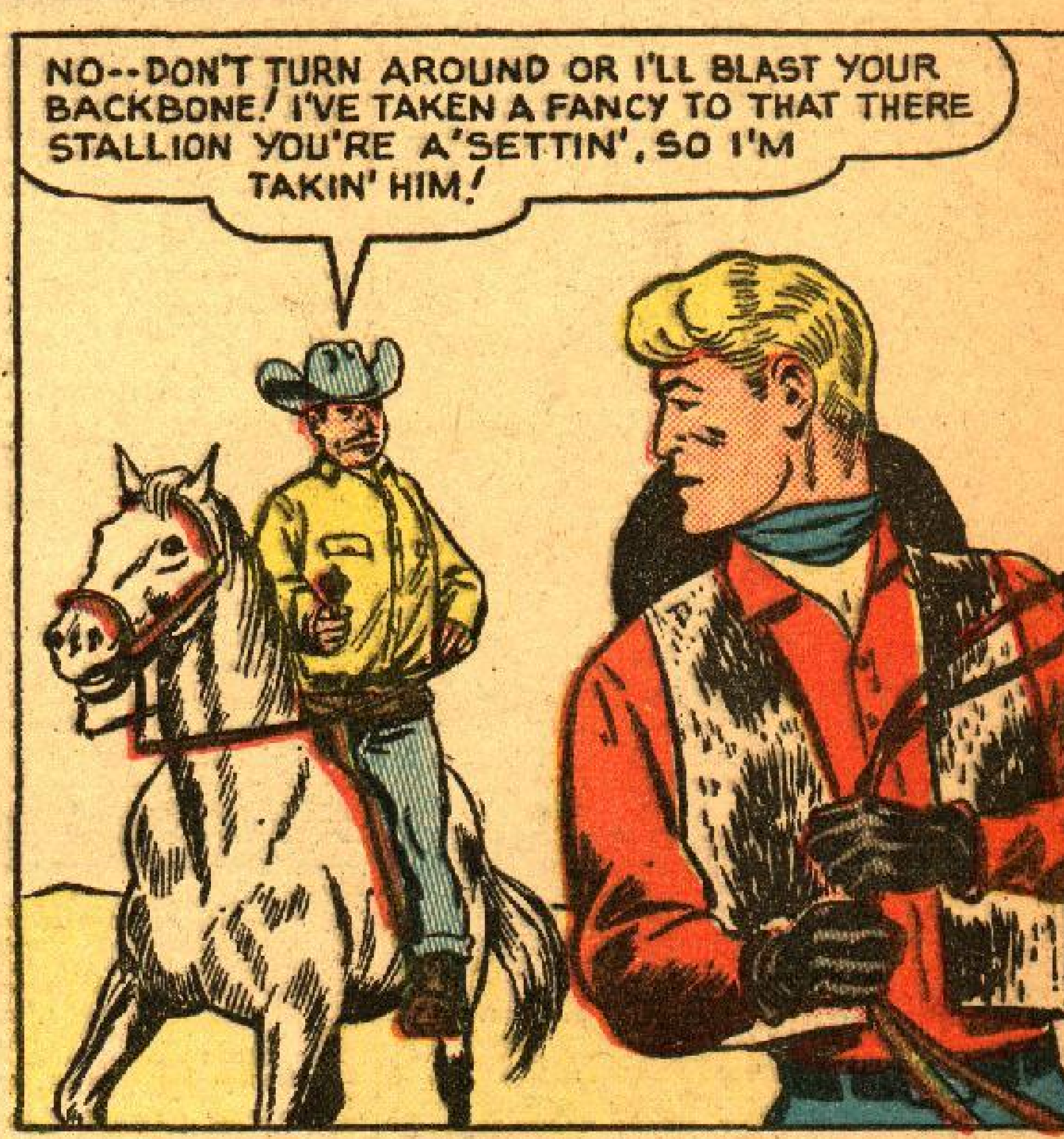
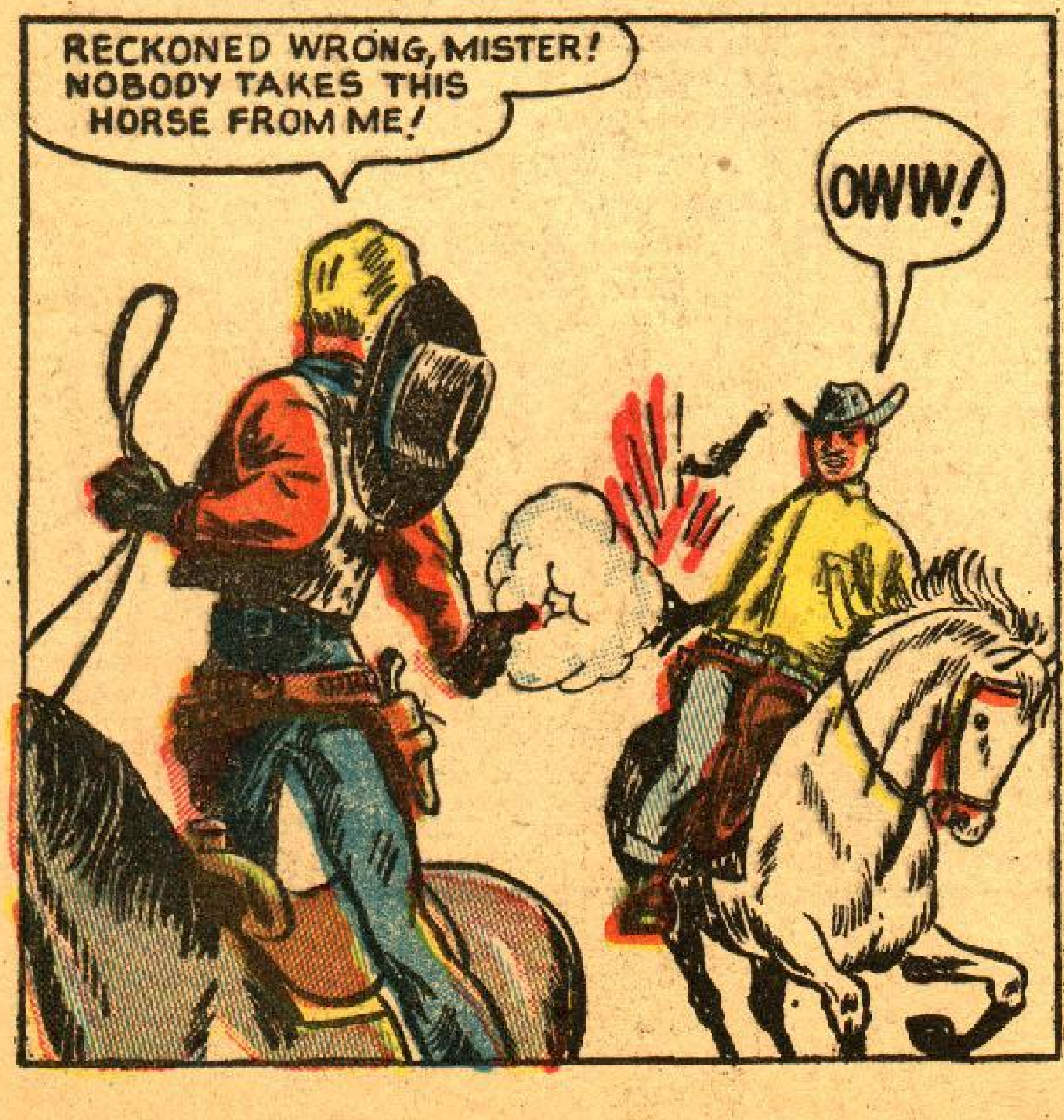
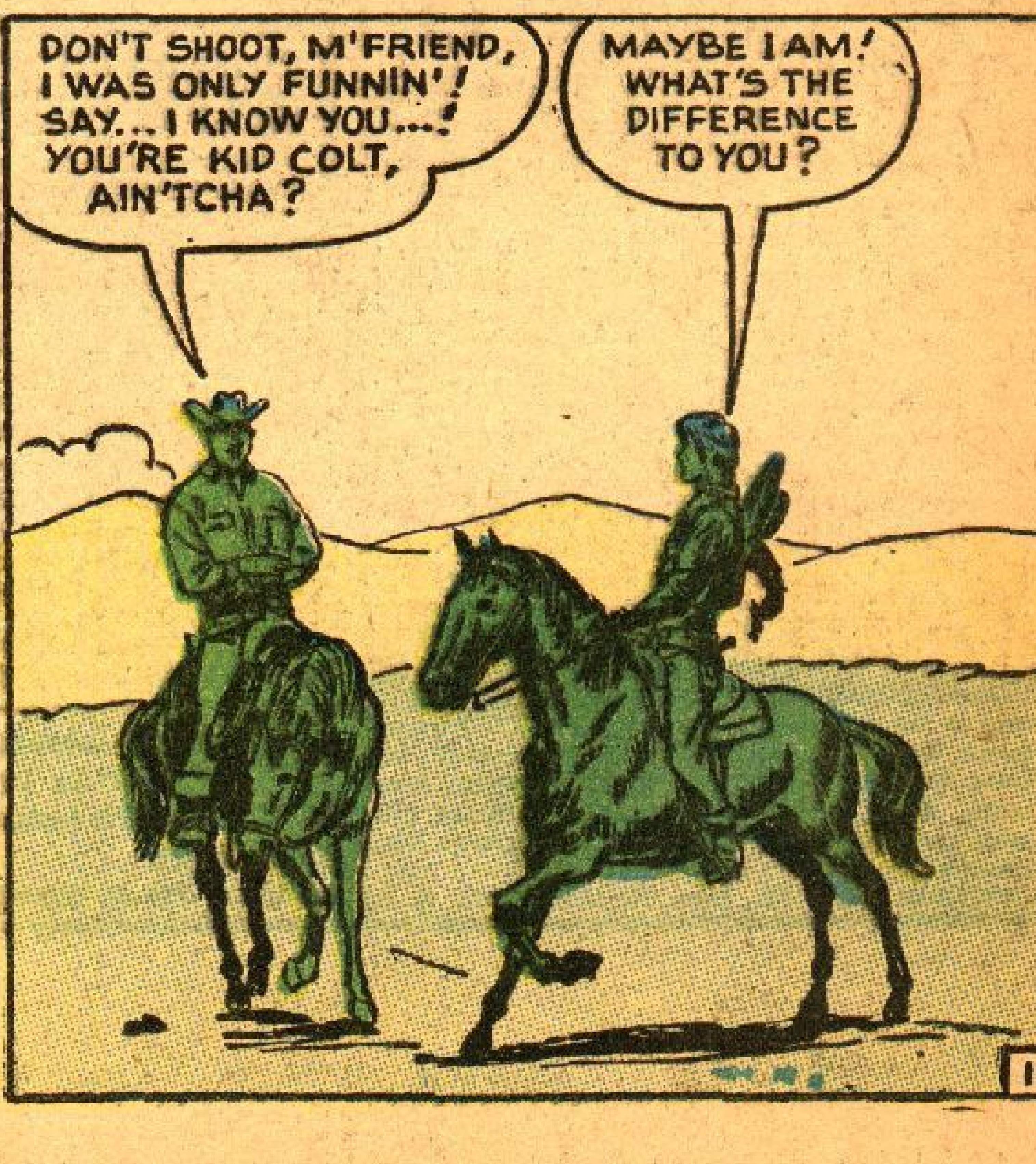
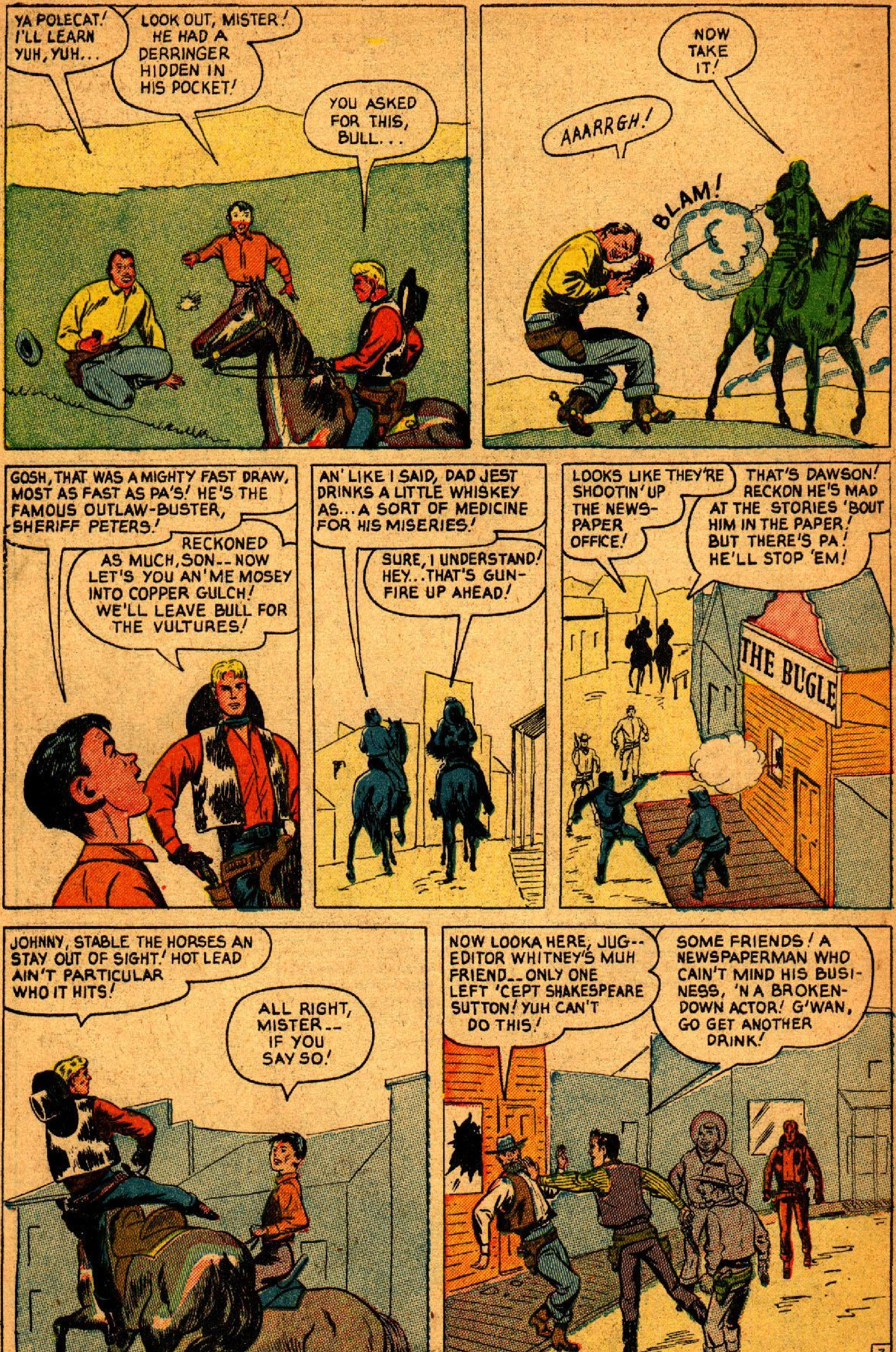

STEEL, OL' FELLER, SEEMS TO ME I'VE HEARD TELL OF THIS HERE TOWN!
EF'N YOU HAVE, STRANGER, THEN YUH KNOW THEY'S SOME MIGHTY TOUGH HOMBRES IN COPPER GULCH--AND I'M ONE!
COPPER GULCH

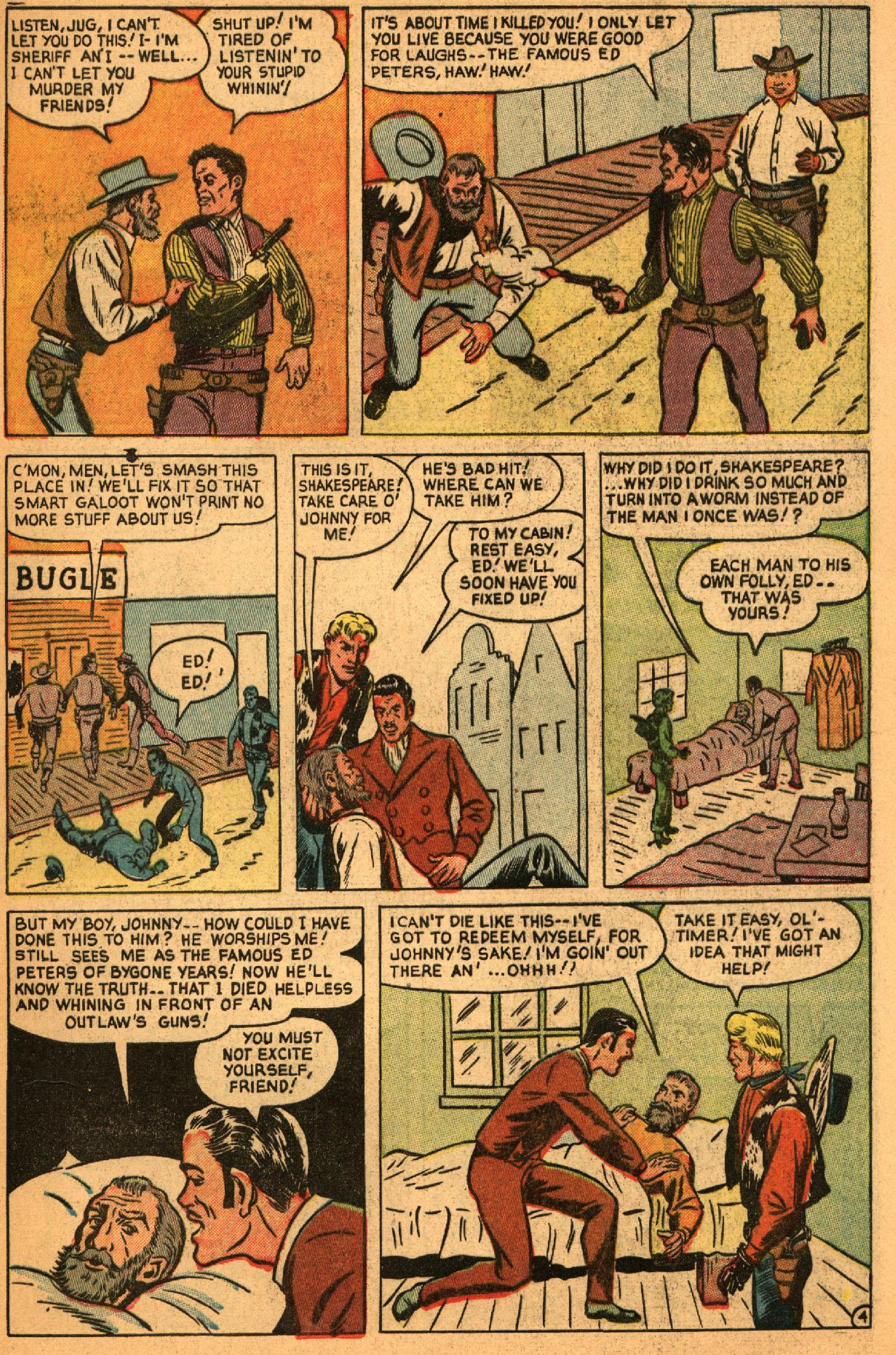

NO--DON'T TURN AROUND OR I'LL BLAST YOUR BACKBONE! I'VE TAKEN A FANCY TO THAT THERE STALLION YOU'RE A'SETTIN', SO I'M TAKIN' HIM!

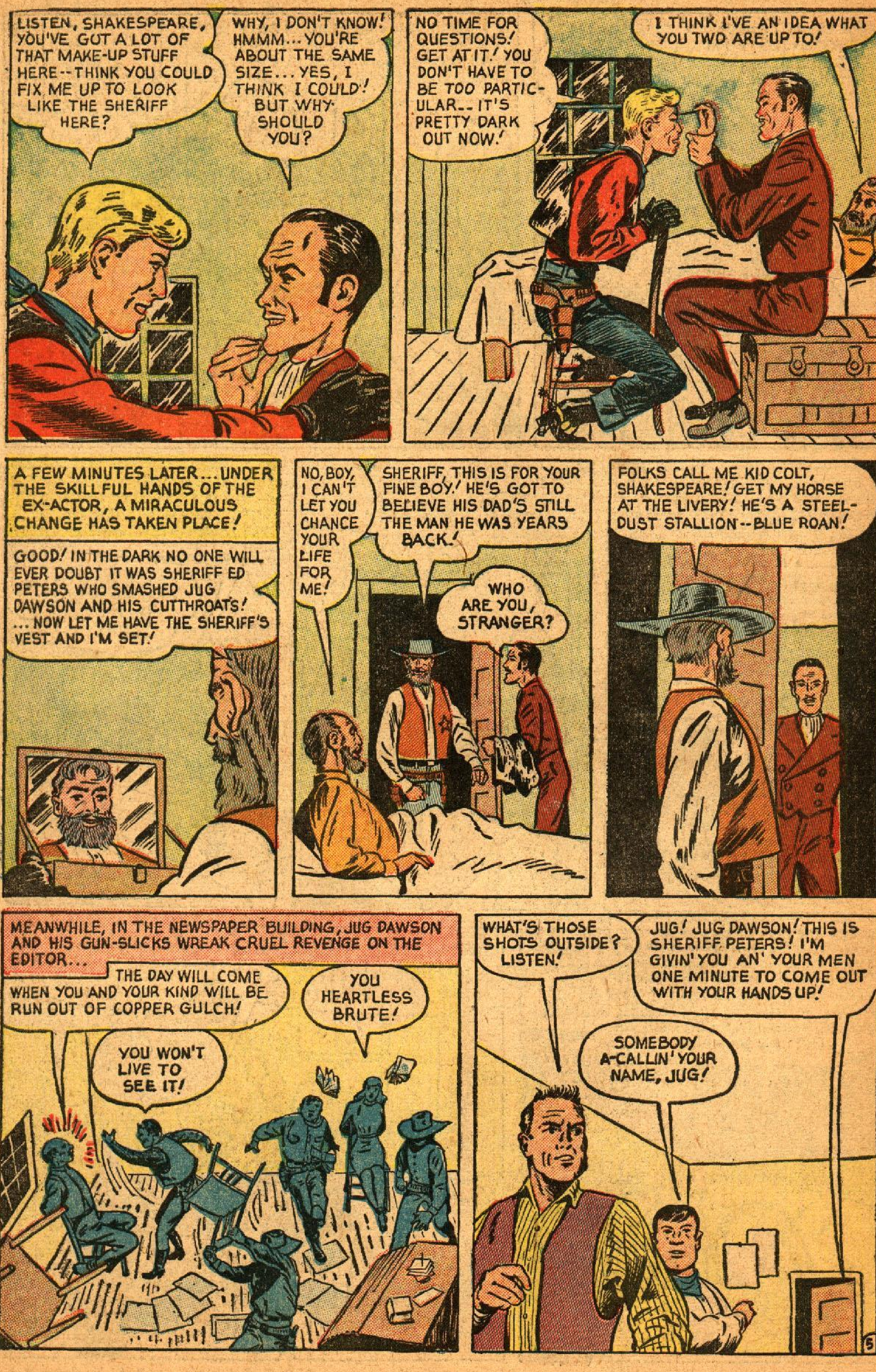

RECKONED WRONG, MISTER! NOBODY TAKES THIS HORSE FROM ME!
OWW!


DON'T SHOOT, M'FRIEND, I WAS ONLY FUNNIN'! SAY... I KNOW YOU...! YOU'RE KID COLT, AIN'TCHA?
MAYBE I AM! WHAT'S THE DIFFERENCE TO YOU?

NOTHIN', FRIEND, 'CEPT IF YO'RE LOOKIN' FER A HIDE-OUT, THIS'S THE PLACE! TAKE A LOOK AT THIS PAPER AN' SEE WHUT I MEAN!
NO TRICKS! OR THE NEXT BULLET'LL BE BETWEEN YOUR EYES!
CH BUGL
WHERE IS THE LAW IN COPPER GULCH?
Must we forever tremble before outlaws at large in our midst? Arise, men, and cleane our town of t menace lo lives peace our wives ildren.
SEE WHUT I MEAN, FRIEND? ALL THE OUTLAWS FROM THE BORDER HAVE TAKEN OVER THE TOWN! JUG DAWSON AND HIS GANG RULE THE ROOST!
NO SHERIFF AT COPPER GULCH?
SHORE, ED PETERS! USED TO BE FAMOUS, BUT NOW HE'S JUST A YELLER SOT AFEARED OF HIS OWN SHADOW--OR JUG DAWSON WOULDA KILLED HIM LONG AGO!
YOU'RE A LIAR, BULL BRODY! MY DAD AIN'T SCAIRT OF ANYONE!
SHET YOUR MOUTH, CUB! YORE OLD MAN'S NOTHIN' BUT A NO-GOOD, YELLER COWARD!
HOLD IT, BULL, HE'S JUST A BOY!
CRACK!
OHHHN!
HOLSTERED YORE GUNS, HEY? NOW I'LL SHOW YOU A TRICK OR TWO!
MISSED!
YO'RE A LITTLE SLOW, BULL--NOW I'M GOING TO MAKE YOU WISH YOU'D NEVER TOUCHED THAT BOY!
WHY, YOU--
SLAM!


YA POLECAT! I'LL LEARN YUH, YUH...
LOOK OUT, MISTER! HE HAD A DERRINGER HIDDEN IN HIS POCKET!
YOU ASKED FOR THIS, BULL...
NOW TAKE IT!
AAARRGH!
BLAM!
GOSH, THAT WAS A MIGHTY FAST DRAW, MOST AS FAST AS PA'S! HE'S THE FAMOUS OUTLAW-BUSTER, SHERIFF PETERS!
RECKONED AS MUCH, SON-- NOW LET'S YOU AN' ME MOSEY INTO COPPER GULCH! WE'LL LEAVE BULL FOR THE VULTURES!
AN' LIKE I SAID, DAD JEST DRINKS A LITTLE WHISKEY AS... A SORT OF MEDICINE FOR HIS MISERIES!
SURE, I UNDERSTAND! HEY... THAT'S GUNFIRE UP AHEAD!
LOOKS LIKE THEY'RE SHOOTIN' UP THE NEWSPAPER OFFICE!
THAT'S DAWSON! RECKON HE'S MAD AT THE STORIES 'BOUT HIM IN THE PAPER! BUT THERE'S PA! HE'LL STOP 'EM!
THE BUGLE
JOHNNY, STABLE THE HORSES AN STAY OUT OF SIGHT! HOT LEAD AIN'T PARTICULAR WHO IT HITS!
ALL RIGHT, MISTER-- IF YOU SAY SO!
NOW LOOKA HERE, JUG-- EDITOR WHITNEY'S MUH FRIEND-- ONLY ONE LEFT 'CEPT SHAKESPEARE SUTTON! YUH CAN'T DO THIS!
SOME FRIENDS! A NEWSPAPERMAN WHO CAIN'T MIND HIS BUSINESS, 'N A BROKEN-DOWN ACTOR! G'WAN, GO GET ANOTHER DRINK!


LISTEN, JUG, I CAN'T LET YOU DO THIS! I- I'M SHERIFF AN'I -- WELL... I CAN'T LET YOU MURDER MY FRIENDS!
SHUT UP! I'M TIRED OF LISTENIN' TO YOUR STUPID WHININ'!
IT'S ABOUT TIME I KILLED YOU! I ONLY LET YOU LIVE BECAUSE YOU WERE GOOD FOR LAUGHS--THE FAMOUS ED PETERS, HAW! HAW!
C'MON, MEN, LET'S SMASH THIS PLACE IN! WE'LL FIX IT SO THAT SMART GALOOT WON'T PRINT NO MORE STUFF ABOUT US!
BUGLE
ED! ED!
THIS IS IT, SHAKESPEARE! TAKE CARE O' JOHNNY FOR ME!
HE'S BAD HIT! WHERE CAN WE TAKE HIM?
TO MY CABIN! REST EASY, ED! WE'LL SOON HAVE YOU FIXED UP!
WHY DID I DO IT, SHAKESPEARE? ...WHY DID I DRINK SO MUCH AND TURN INTO A WORM INSTEAD OF THE MAN I ONCE WAS!?
EACH MAN TO HIS OWN FOLLY, ED -- THAT WAS YOURS!
BUT MY BOY, JOHNNY-- HOW COULD I HAVE DONE THIS TO HIM? HE WORSHIPS ME! STILL SEES ME AS THE FAMOUS ED PETERS OF BYGONE YEARS! NOW HE'LL KNOW THE TRUTH-- THAT I DIED HELPLESS AND WHINING IN FRONT OF AN OUTLAW'S GUNS!
YOU MUST NOT EXCITE YOURSELF, FRIEND!
I CAN'T DIE LIKE THIS--I'VE GOT TO REDEEM MYSELF, FOR JOHNNY'S SAKE! I'M GOIN' OUT THERE AN' ...OHHH!!
TAKE IT EASY, OL'-TIMER! I'VE GOT AN IDEA THAT MIGHT HELP!


LISTEN, SHAKESPEARE, YOU'VE GOT A LOT OF THAT MAKE-UP STUFF HERE -- THINK YOU COULD FIX ME UP TO LOOK LIKE THE SHERIFF HERE?
WHY, I DON'T KNOW! HMMM... YOU'RE ABOUT THE SAME SIZE... YES, I THINK I COULD! BUT WHY SHOULD YOU?
NO TIME FOR QUESTIONS! GET AT IT! YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE TOO PARTICULAR -- IT'S PRETTY DARK OUT NOW!
I THINK I'VE AN IDEA WHAT YOU TWO ARE UP TO!
A FEW MINUTES LATER... UNDER THE SKILLFUL HANDS OF THE EX-ACTOR, A MIRACULOUS CHANGE HAS TAKEN PLACE!
GOOD! IN THE DARK NO ONE WILL EVER DOUBT IT WAS SHERIFF ED PETERS WHO SMASHED JUG DAWSON AND HIS CUTTHROATS! ... NOW LET ME HAVE THE SHERIFF'S VEST AND I'M SET!
NO, BOY, I CAN'T LET YOU CHANCE YOUR LIFE FOR ME!
SHERIFF, THIS IS FOR YOUR FINE BOY! HE'S GOT TO BELIEVE HIS DAD'S STILL THE MAN HE WAS YEARS BACK!
WHO ARE YOU, STRANGER?
FOLKS CALL ME KID COLT, SHAKESPEARE! GET MY HORSE AT THE LIVERY! HE'S A STEEL-DUST STALLION -- BLUE ROAN!
MEANWHILE, IN THE NEWSPAPER BUILDING, JUG DAWSON AND HIS GUN-SLICKS WREAK CRUEL REVENGE ON THE EDITOR...
THE DAY WILL COME WHEN YOU AND YOUR KIND WILL BE RUN OUT OF COPPER GULCH!
YOU HEARTLESS BRUTE!
YOU WON'T LIVE TO SEE IT!
WHAT'S THOSE SHOTS OUTSIDE? LISTEN!
JUG! JUG DAWSON! THIS IS SHERIFF PETERS! I'M GIVIN' YOU AN' YOUR MEN ONE MINUTE TO COME OUT WITH YOUR HANDS UP!
SOMEBODY A-CALLIN' YOUR NAME, JUG!
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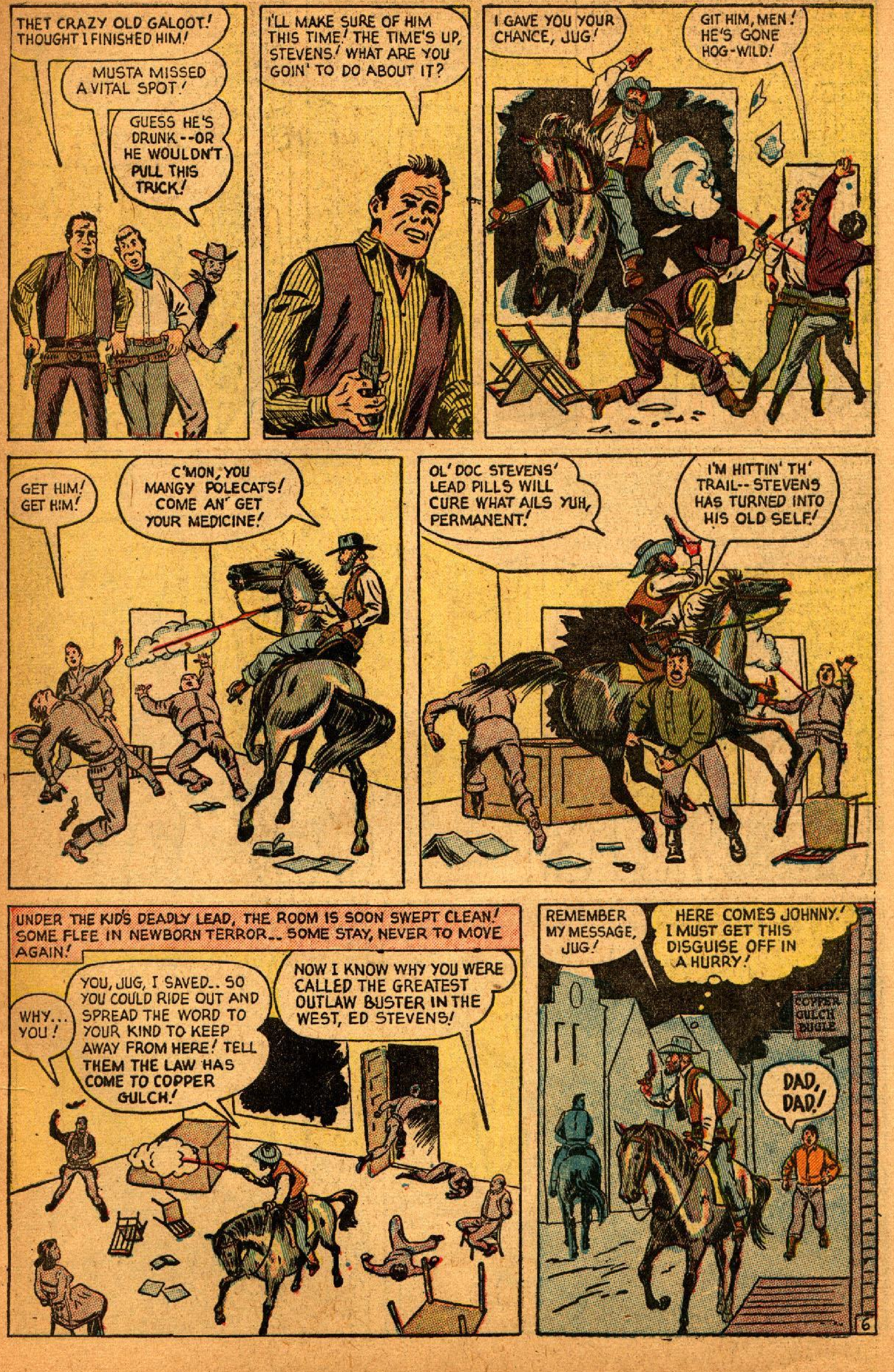
THET CRAZY OLD GALOOT! THOUGHT I FINISHED HIM!
MUSTA MISSED A VITAL SPOT!
GUESS HE'S DRUNK --OR HE WOULDN'T PULL THIS TRICK!
I'LL MAKE SURE OF HIM THIS TIME! THE TIME'S UP, STEVENS! WHAT ARE YOU GOIN' TO DO ABOUT IT?
I GAVE YOU YOUR CHANCE, JUG!
GIT HIM, MEN! HE'S GONE HOG-WILD!
GET HIM! GET HIM!
C'MON, YOU MANGY POLECATS! COME AN' GET YOUR MEDICINE!
OL' DOC STEVENS' LEAD PILLS WILL CURE WHAT AILS YUH, PERMANENT!
I'M HITTIN' TH' TRAIL-- STEVENS HAS TURNED INTO HIS OLD SELF!
UNDER THE KID'S DEADLY LEAD, THE ROOM IS SOON SWEPT CLEAN! SOME FLEE IN NEWBORN TERROR.. SOME STAY, NEVER TO MOVE AGAIN!
WHY... YOU!
YOU, JUG, I SAVED.. SO YOU COULD RIDE OUT AND SPREAD THE WORD TO YOUR KIND TO KEEP AWAY FROM HERE! TELL THEM THE LAW HAS COME TO COPPER GULCH!
NOW I KNOW WHY YOU WERE CALLED THE GREATEST OUTLAW BUSTER IN THE WEST, ED STEVENS!
REMEMBER MY MESSAGE, JUG!
HERE COMES JOHNNY! I MUST GET THIS DISGUISE OFF IN A HURRY!
COPPER GULCH BUGLE
DAD, DAD!

IT'S ALL OVER, SHAKESPEARE! HOW'S THE SHERIFF?
HE'S GONE! PASSED AWAY JUST A SECOND AGO WITH A SMILE ON HIS LIPS, KNOWING WHAT YOU HAD DONE FOR HIM!
THEN...
DAD, DAD, YOU DID IT! YOU SHOWED 'EM WHO ED PETERS REALLY IS! GOLLY, I'M SO PROUD I COULD BUST! DAD, WHY DON'T YOU ANSWER ME?
YOUR DAD WAS HIT BAD IN THE FIGHT, SON... HE WENT THE WAY HE WANTED IT, HIS GUNS BLAZIN' AN' HIS BOOTS ON!
HE WAS AN HONOR TO HIS BADGE, SON! NO MATTER HOW HE ACTED FOR A SHORT TIME, YOUR DAD DIED LIKE A MAN! NEVER FORGET THAT, MY BOY!
WELL I'D BEST BE RIDIN' OUT! JOHNNY, ALWAYS BE PROUD OF YOUR DAD! REMEMBER HIM AS HE WAS TONIGHT-- A FEARLESS FIGHTING MAN!
I WILL, SIR! I'LL ALWAYS BE PROUD OF HIM! HE SURE SHOWED THEM WHAT KIND OF MAN HE WAS!
GOODBYE, STRANGER, AND THANKS!
AND FROM NOW ON WE WILL STAMP OUT OUTLAWRY AT ITS BEGINNING! COPPER GULCH MUST BE KEPT SAFE FOR OUR WIVES AND CHILDREN, FOR OUR OWN SAKES! AND IN MEMORY OF A BRAVE MAN, SHERIFF ED PETERS!
HE'S RIGHT!
WE'LL SHOOT ANY BAD MEN ON SIGHT!
GOL
THERE'S ONE RIGHT NOW! THAT'S KID COLT, THE OUTLAW!
GET HIM, MEN!
ZING!
BUT KID COLT SPURS AWAY, BACK TO THE OWL-HOOT TRAILS, LEAVING BEHIND HIM A CLEAN NEW CITY, AND A MEMORY IN THE HEART OF A BOY THAT WILL CARRY HIM PROUDLY THROUGH LIFE!
THE END

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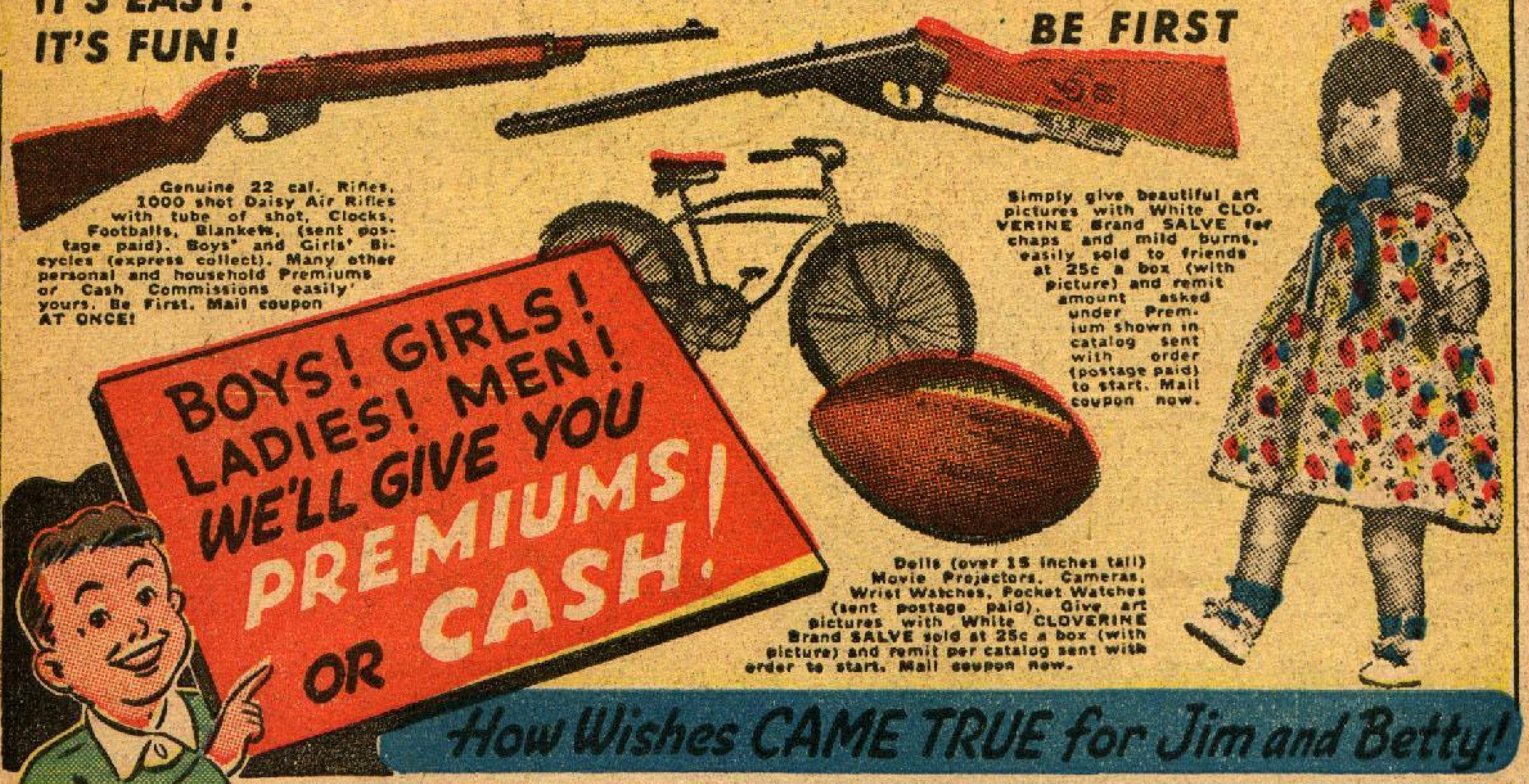
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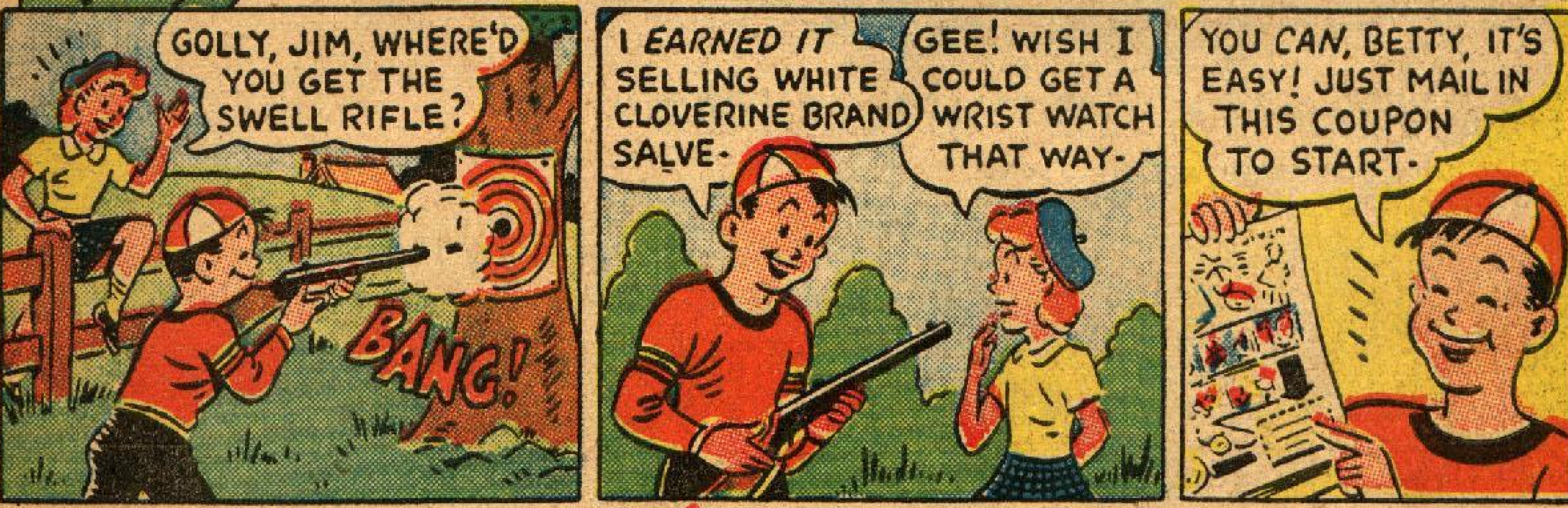
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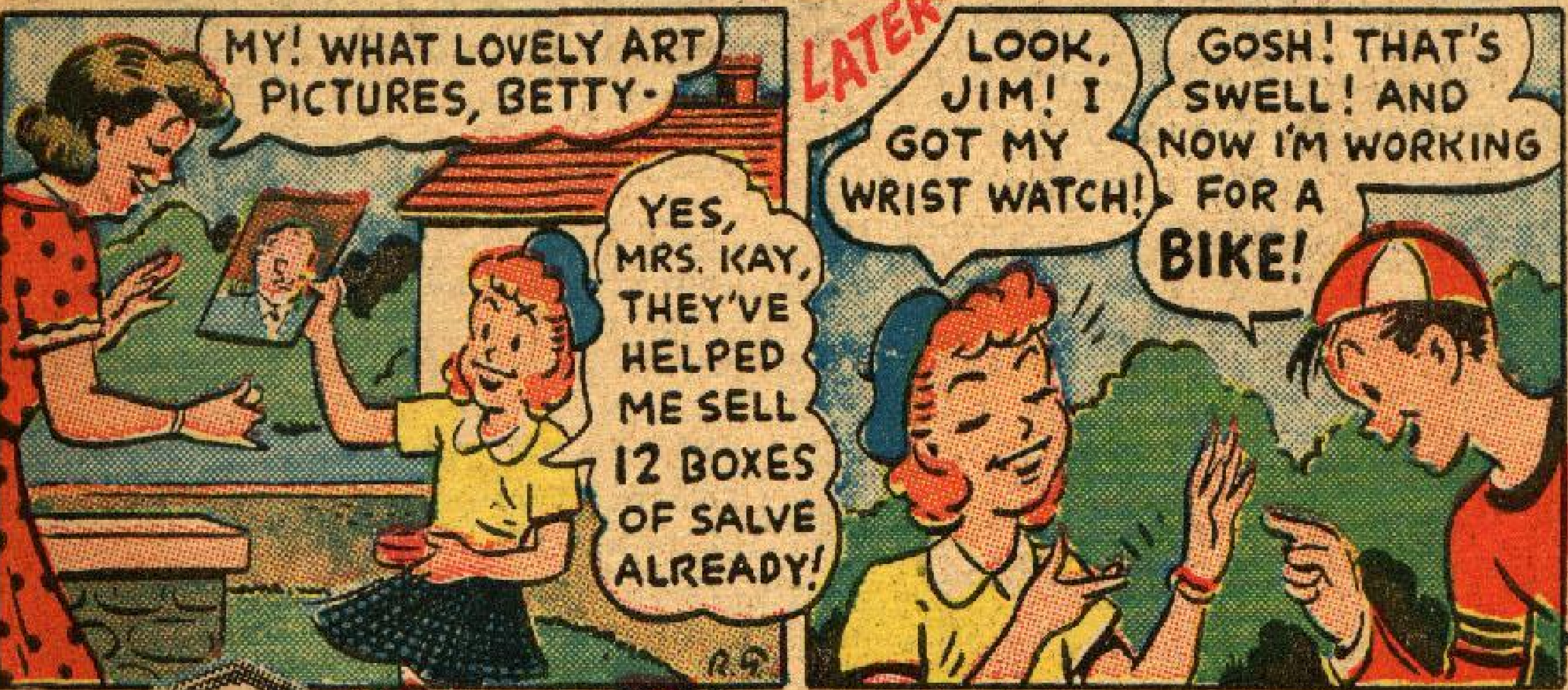
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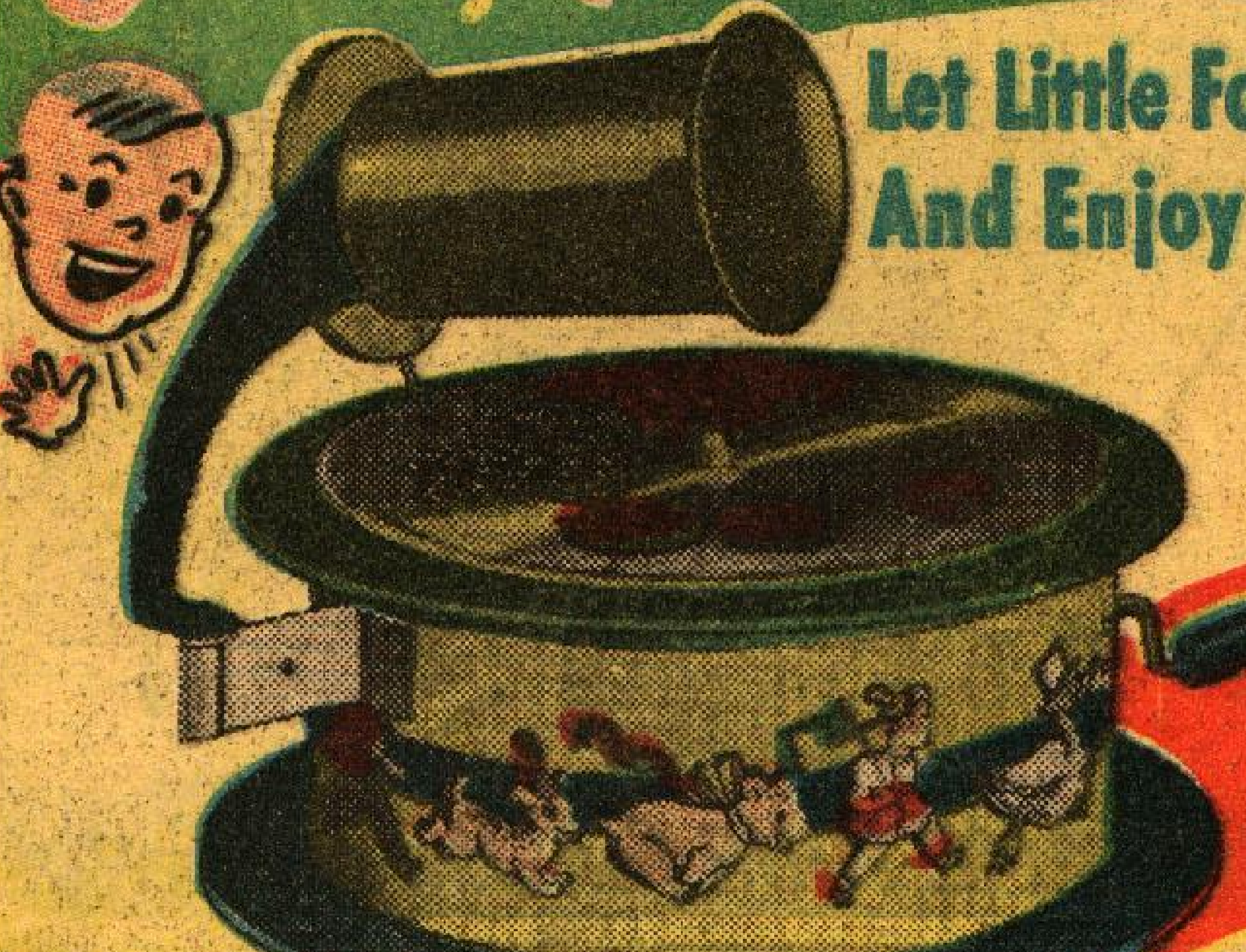

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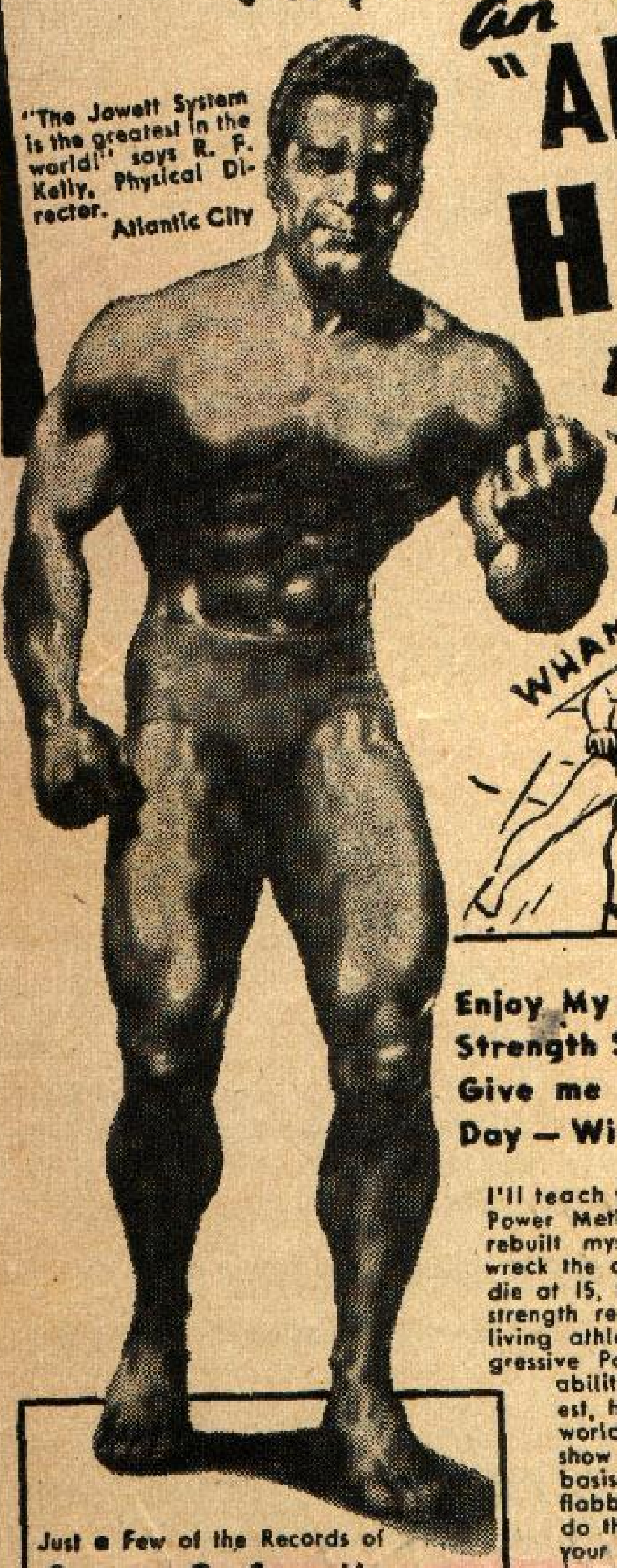

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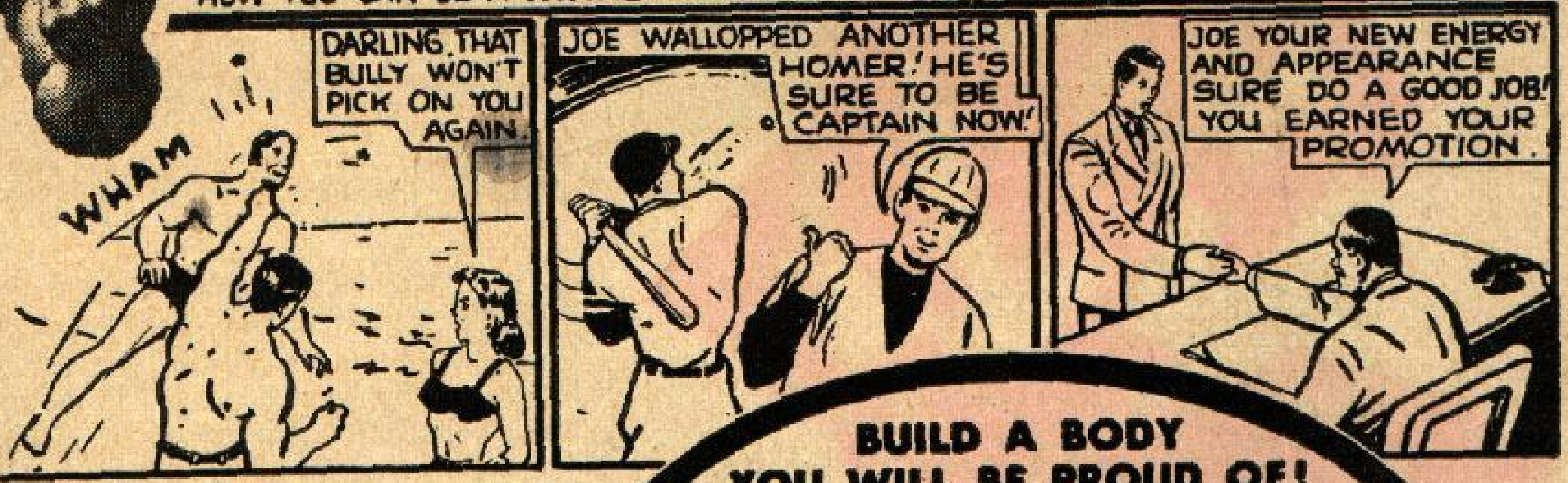
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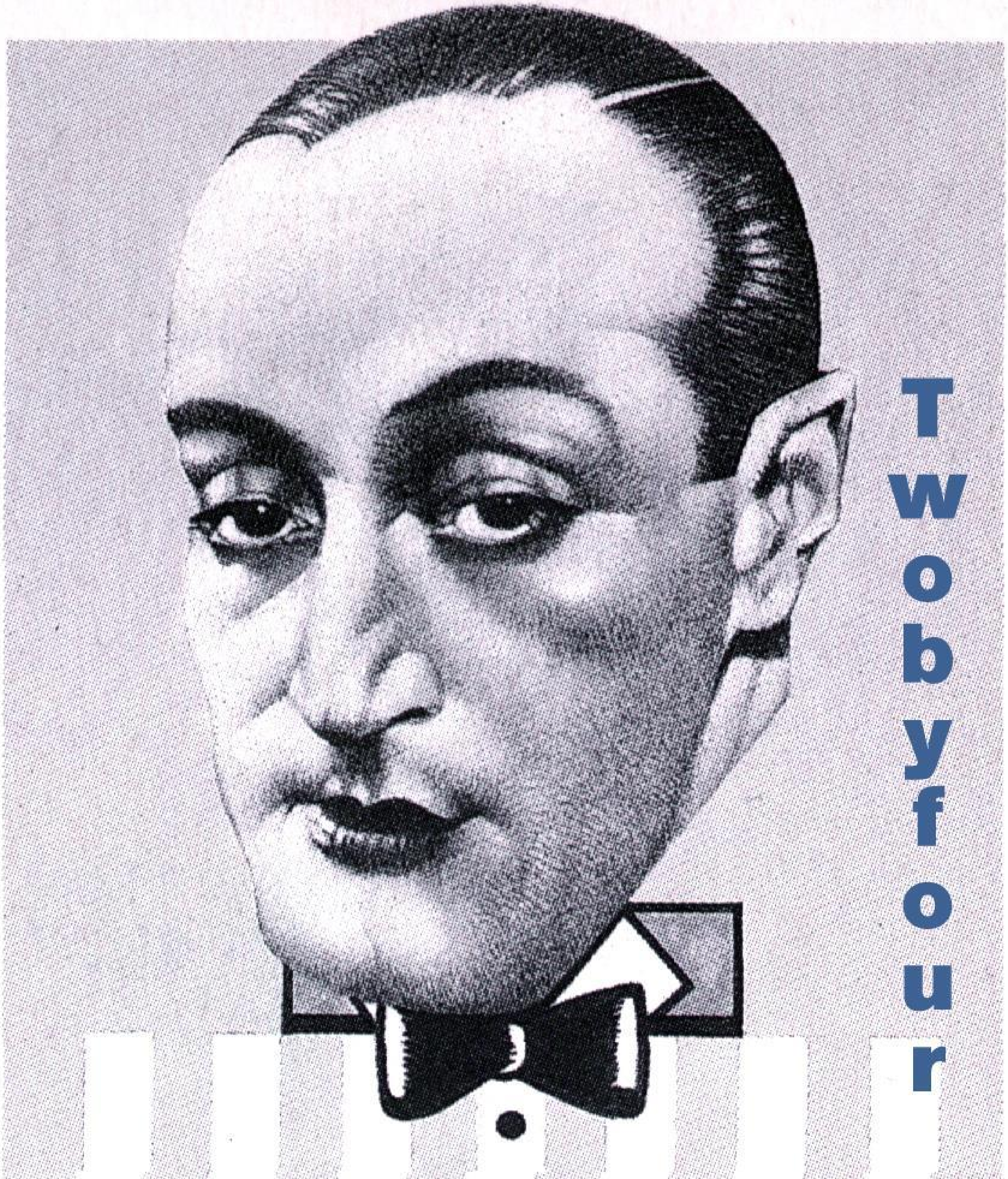

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